

2 Palau Islands Occupied By U.S.

PEARL HARBOR (AP)—Admiral Chester W. Nimitz reported today that U.S. marines have landed on two additional islands of the Palau group, already have secured one with a 4,800-foot fighter, plane strip and are mopping up on the other.

The islands are Ngesebus and Hongaur, north of Peleliu, where the Yanks have already pocketed survivors of the Japanese garrison.

Continue Controls

OTTAWA (CP)—Prices Board spokesmen today said a study of farm implement requirements will be made later this year, but no arrangements have been made for abandonment of production controls made necessary by metal shortages.

Charged With Murder

CAMBERLEY, Surrey, Eng. (CP)—Pte. John Francis Donovan of Toronto, serving in the 1st Canadian Signals reinforcement unit, has been charged with the murder last April of Constable Curtis, 17-year-old factory worker, and remained in custody until Oct. 9. The almost-nude body of the girl was found on a piece of waste ground near her Camberley lodgings. Donovan was arrested Wednesday.

Snow in Manitoba

WINNIPEG (CP)—Some snow was reported in far northern districts of Manitoba today, but there were no reports of snowfall in Saskatchewan. Southern Manitoba enjoyed bright sunshine and balmy breezes.

Canadian Pilots Bag 19 Germans

WITH THE TACTICAL AIR FORCE, BELGIUM (CP-Reuters)—Two Canadian Spitfire wings of the R.A.F.'s Tactical Air Force accounted for 19 of 22 enemy aircraft destroyed from dawn to early afternoon today in operations over western Europe.

One wing, led by Wing Cmdr. Dal Russell, D.F.C., of Westmount, Que., shot down 10. Nine fell to the wing commanded by Wing Cmdr. J. E. "Johnny" Johnson, the English-born leading Allied ace.

Buy Jesuit College

EDMONTON (CP)—The federal government has acquired the buildings known as the Jesuit College here for use as a military hospital. It was announced today from the office of Maj. Gen. W. W. Foster, Special Canadian Commissioner for Northwest Defence projects.

Hockey Players Asked to Work

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—The Times-Journal said today that Grain Controller A. A. Heaps, National Selective Service, had called about 30 players from practice at the St. Louis Flyers' Hockey School here today and appealed to them to take work in Lakehead grain elevators.

"He said he had received protests about youths playing hockey while men more than 60 years old worked unloading grain cars," said the newspaper.

Vancouver to Try \$5,000,000 Plan

VANCOUVER (CP)—Money by-laws totaling \$5,000,000 will be submitted at the December municipal election as first steps in a 10-year program of development for Vancouver, the City Council decided today. Mayor Cornett said part of the money may be used as the city's share in the rehabilitation program to be carried out jointly with the provincial and federal governments.

New President

TORONTO (CP)—Edward D. Gooderham has been appointed president of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation and the Canada Permanent Trust Company. It was announced here today. He had been a vice-president of both companies since 1935.

Dropped Sons Into River

COSHOCTON, O. (AP)—Warren Patterson, 31-year-old machinist who Prosecutor Russell E. Lyons said had admitted in a signed statement that he stood on a bridge and dropped two of his four sons into the Michigan River because he had no home for them, was held in jail today. One of the boys, Larry, one and a half years, drowned; Raymond, seven, crawled out. Lyons said he would file a murder charge later this afternoon.

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Weather Forecast
 Victoria and vicinity—Cloudy and warm today, becoming partly cloudy in evening. Cloudy Saturday with light to moderate winds.
 Thursday's Temperatures—Min. 51; Max. 66. Sunshine; 3 hours. Temperature noon Friday, 55.
 Victoria has over 600 hours more sunshine a year than other coast cities, less than half the rainfall.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Calais Nazis Given Day's Armistice

Russ Knock Out 45,750 Nazis In 10 Days

LONDON (CP)—All Estonia has been liberated except two small islands and 45,745 Germans have been killed or captured in 10 days, the Moscow radio declared tonight in an official statement.

By DANIEL DE LUCE
 MOSCOW (AP)—The Red Army's three-way offensive against Hungary from Romania and Yugoslavia developed swiftly today while rumors of peace feelers by the Budapest government indicated Germany's last important satellite may be on the verge of deserting.

Hungary's defensive position was dark as strong Russian forces, pressing forward in a 100-mile arc on the Romanian-Hungarian frontier, increased their mountain salient and utilized Marshal Tito's permission to cross Yugoslav territory and strike the Hungarians and Germans from the south.

The Russian war bulletin disclosed Soviet troops had fought their way into Lupkow Pass leading from Poland into Czechoslovakia, taking Vydran, a Czechoslovak rail station nearly three miles inside the frontier.

(The U.S. broadcasting station in Europe, quoting the Turkish radio, said Thursday night the Hungarian premier was reported to have asked the Turkish Ambassador in Budapest to learn Allied peace terms, and to act as an intermediary in preliminary negotiations for Hungary's exit from the Axis.

300,000 ATTACKING
 (Enemy reports asserted Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky, commanding combined Russian and Romanian forces, was using 30 divisions, or upwards of 300,000 men, in an offensive that reached to within 15 miles of Szeged, Hungary's second city, and within 102 miles of Budapest.

(A free Yugoslav broadcast heard by Reuters said Marshal Tito's Partisans had reached the outskirts of Belgrade, the Yugoslav capital. Berlin reports said earlier Russian troops had crossed from Romania into Yugoslavia at a point east of Belgrade.)

The Moscow communique included Vydran in a list of 30 localities captured by Col. Gen. Ivan Petrov's 4th Ukrainian Army attacking in the east Beskid Mountains. Lupkow, on the Polish side of the pass seven miles southeast of Vydran, was also seized.

Allies Preparing To Crush Nazi Plan for New War

LONDON (CP)—Foreign Secretary Eden told the House of Commons today that "nearly complete" arrangements for occupying Germany were taking into account reports that Heinrich Himmler was training fanatical young Nazis for post-occupation resistance.

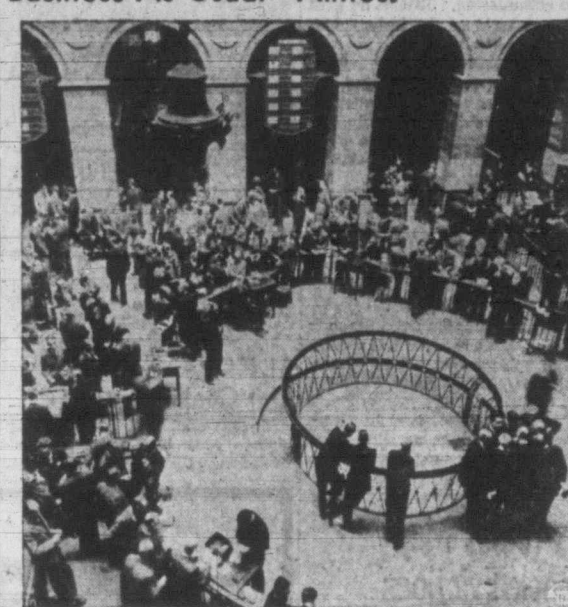
"What we mean by unconditional surrender," the Foreign Secretary declared, "is that we are not prepared to make a negotiated peace with Germany, and the reasons are based on the experience of history and on the interpretation which Germany placed on the 14 points after the last war."

"We cannot take these risks again. We have information that the German general staff, recognizing the inevitability of defeat, are already thinking in terms of the next war."

Mr. Eden said the "overriding importance" of the Russo-Polish problem was that there could be no guarantee of a lasting peace unless the three big powers could work together in enduring harmony.

"Let no one think," he said, "that with the defeat of Germany the issue is at an end. The problem of Germany will be a continuing problem. The principal danger to Europe after the defeat of Germany will be the re-emergence of a militant Germany and that will be a continuing danger."

Business As Usual—Almost



Once relieved of the Nazis' presence Parisian stock brokers lost no time in organizing "business as usual." Photo shows revived activity in the Bourse—Paris' Stock Exchange.

Churchill, Roosevelt, Stalin Meeting Rumored for December

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—The meeting between Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Marshal Stalin is planned to take place sometime in December and may be at Turin, Wilson Broadbent, London Daily Mail diplomatic correspondent, said today.

Alternative places are, however, under consideration, though final arrangements cannot be made until after the presidential election, he said.

Both Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt had hoped to have a meeting with Marshal Stalin this month, the writer said, and two places other than Quebec were proposed to the Russian leader.

MOSCOW INTERESTED
 By EDDY GILMORE
 MOSCOW (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill's call for a second meeting with Marshal Stalin and President Roosevelt caused much interest here today.

The opinion was expressed that

great benefits would result from a sequel to the Teheran Conference.

The first meeting in Persia perfected plans for the invasion of Normandy, which Russians view as the Allies' greatest contribution to the war. It led to the best understanding in the history of Anglo-American-U.S.S.R. relations.

Russians say a second meeting might accomplish decisions on how to administer the last blows to Hitler; co-ordination of the three high commands; ground work for the peace; an exchange of ideas on how the enemy is to be dealt with after the war, and how he is to be punished, where, and by whom, and what is going to come to Germany.

There is no intimation here as to when and where such a meeting would take place.

This much is reported on good authority: Marshal Stalin will be just as eager as Mr. Churchill or Mr. Roosevelt to see his friends again.

Non-Stop Blitz On Reich Carries Into 5th Day

LONDON (CP)—Allied air-power maintained today a non-stop aerial invasion of Germany which has blasted Nazi war industry with bombs and bullets from 1,300 planes and crews totaling 48,000 men in the past four days.

The round-the-clock air offensive was carried on by waves of planes which streamed across the Channel in daylight after R.A.F. Mosquitoes returned from moonlight attacks on Brunswick and enemy airfields deep in central Germany. One plane is missing.

The German radio reported this morning that "weak" formations of bombers were over the Reich for the fifth consecutive day.

Armadas of more than 1,000 Fortresses and Liberators, with an average daily escort of 700 fighters, have been over Germany every day since Monday, when 2,000 planes launched a new campaign to smash railroad centres and war plants feeding the German army.

SENT FIGHTERS UP

Losses from Monday through Thursday were 110 heavy bombers, each carrying 10 men, and 25 one-man fighters. The heaviest losses were suffered Thursday, when more than 100 enemy fighters ganged up on one bomber formation attacking Magdeburg and ignored others heading for Kassel and Merseburg. Forty-nine bombers were knocked down and 12 fighters failed to return, although several were reported to have landed in France after running out of gasoline.

Thirty-six German planes were destroyed, 26 by fighters and 10 by gunners in the bombers.

New Horror Weapon Of Germans Reported 14-Ton Projectile

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR
 SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE (Delayed-AP)—United States 3rd Army troops have obtained information indicating that a 14-ton projectile with an explosive radius of three kilometres—almost two miles—is scheduled as the third in Hitler's series of vengeance weapons.

V-1 is the robot bomb launched from a platform.

V-2 is the long-range rocket fired from a carrier plane, for which the Germans are reported using the Heinkel III.

V-3, so far as is known here, has not yet been used against either Britain or the attacking Allied armies.

(This dispatch, written last Saturday and only today cleared through Allied censorship, did not expand upon the "explosive radius" of V-3. However, the implication was that its power to wreck or damage buildings extended almost two miles from the point of impact.)

This information disclosed the projectile is just short of 60 feet in length, is 5 feet 5 inches in diameter and weighs 14 tons at the take-off. Propelled by a mixture of liquid air and alcohol, it is shot into the air vertically, then is controlled by radio.

No other details were disclosed, but it was believed the Germans have not yet placed the V-3 in operation.

Japs Advancing On Kwangsi Capital

NEW YORK (CP)—Imperial headquarters claimed today that Japanese forces advancing on Kweilin, capital of Kwangsi province in China, had occupied Paoching and Tanchuk, site of an advanced U.S. air base.

There was no immediate confirmation of the Japanese claim, contained in a broadcast communique from Tokyo recorded by the Federal Communications Commission.

A Chinese communique Thursday reported severe fighting around Paoching, which is about 150 miles north of Kweilin, and said Japanese forces advancing from Wuchow had reached the outskirts of Tanchuk.

Tanchuk is about 90 miles south of Kweilin and 47 west of Wuchow.

Snow in Alberta

CALGARY (CP)—The first snowfall of the season fell in Calgary this morning and melted as soon as it hit the ground. The snowfall was general from Edmonton to Nanton in the south, and from Banff in the west to Drumheller in the east. The first snowfall in Calgary last year came Sept. 17.

Start T.B. Survey

VANCOUVER (CP)—First community TB survey ever held in British Columbia will open in Steveston Oct. 1, Dr. J. S. Kitching, city epidemiologist, announced today.

He said the provincial mobile TB unit purchased through money raised from the sale of Christmas seals will start its work at Steveston canneries.

When Besieged Airborne Troops Got Supplies



Liberators flew over the countryside in Holland where airborne troops had been landed and dropped supplies to the besieged airtroopers. The supplies helped the "Red Devils" fight off the ever-narrowing ring the Nazis were drawing around them until the high command decided to withdraw the airborne troops and the remnants crossed the upper Rhine and joined the British 2nd Army.

New Watch On the Rhine



A British soldier stands watch on bridge across Waal, the Rhine's main outlet to the sea, recently captured from the retreating Germans. The soldier, who had just taken his post a few minutes before this picture was taken, hasn't had time to remove the photo of Hitler tacked beneath ledge at lower right. (Telephoto).

Replies to Charge By Fredrickson

Air Vice-Marshal F. V. Heakes, Air Officer Commanding, Western Air Command, issued a prepared statement today commenting on remarks made by Flt. Lt. Frank Fredrickson in a service club address at New Westminster Wednesday.

Flt. Lt. Fredrickson, who expects his discharge from the R.C.A.F. shortly, criticized the student training program and charged that millions of dollars were being poured into projects in British Columbia of questionable value.

Air Vice-Marshal Heakes said the R.C.A.F. was in "the fortunate position" of having too many students and when the training scheme was reduced, "it was necessary to find profitable employment, both for the sake of their own morale and for the sake of the service."

The statement added that the type of work they have been employed on has, wherever possible, been of a constructional nature and, generally speaking, it has been the type of work that university students in normal times would be privileged to secure during vacation periods.

"The question of building air-dromes in British Columbia and the spending of millions of dollars thereon, without justification, as alleged by Flt. Lt. Fredrickson, again was a matter of high policy associated with the undoubted threat of Japanese attack on the west coast," the Air Vice-Marshal asserted.

Bomb-Laden Plane Crashes in Garden In South Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP)—A bomb-laden R.C.A.F. fighter plane crashed in a sandy garden in the southwestern outskirts of Vancouver today, killing the pilot. No civilians were reported injured although several said they saw the crash.

Next-of-kin of the pilot, only occupant of the plane, have been informed and the name will be released shortly.

The plane was destroyed in the explosion which dug a 10-foot deep hole in the garden of E. R. M. Griffith-Cocherane near the Point Grey Golf Course. Although the plane landed 10 feet from his house, Mr. Griffith-Cocherane said only minor damage was done to the building.

Burning wreckage was scattered over a 50-foot area and residents five blocks away were awakened when the plane dived into the ground about 7.30 a.m. Mr. Griffith-Cocherane said the pilot must "have been mercifully killed at the impact."

Gerry Lancaster, who had just come out of his house, said the motor sounded in difficulty and the plane plunged from behind a cloud straight down into the ground.

The plane was headed south for nearby Sea Island airport when the crash occurred.

Troops in Italy Ask Ralston About Beer, Japs, Zombies

WITH THE CANADIANS ON THE ADRIATIC FRONT (CP)—Hon. J. L. Ralston, Canadian Defence Minister, has arrived here to visit Canadian troops in action after a flight from New York.

En route to this front Col. Ralston stopped at Lt. Gen. Wilson's headquarters and had a talk with the Allied Mediterranean commander-in-chief.

The defence minister was lunching at a brigade headquarters Thursday when shells fell nearby.

He is here to make a tour of hospitals, base areas, headquarters and units and will endeavor to meet as many soldiers as possible.

When he stopped at a forward reinforcement battalion the minister became involved for more than an hour in a question bee. The troops, mostly veterans ready to return to the line, kept firing questions at him about discharge, zombies, beer, the Japanese war and other subjects.

Col. Ralston answered all the questions and when he left was loudly applauded by the men.

Canadians Grant Time to Clear City of People

By WILLIAM STEWART
 CP War Correspondent

WITH THE 1ST CANADIAN ARMY AT CALAIS (CP)—Canadians surrounding the French channel port of Calais agreed to a 24-hour armistice required by the Germans to permit evacuation of civilians from the city. The armistice was due to last from noon today until noon Saturday.

The armistice was arranged at a conference this morning between the chief of staff of the German garrison and a Canadian commander and was held in the Canadian area.

TAKE GRIS NEZ

While it was going on, Canadian troops were attacking Cape Gris Nez in an operation that brought the capture of the German stronghold and its cross-Channel guns in a few hours.

A request for a conference between German and Canadian representatives was made Thursday night and the meeting was arranged for 10 o'clock this forenoon while Canadian infantry remained in their positions on three sides of the town and in the outskirts.

The German chief of staff representing the garrison commander first requested merely that Calais be declared an open city on the grounds that the Germans would be able to defend it from their outskirts positions.

The reply was that since the Canadians were established in the outskirts the only condition that could be discussed was unconditional surrender.

By JAMES M. LONG

LONDON (AP)—Lt. Gen. Dempsey's combined British 2nd Army and parachute forces closed up today the Maas (Meuse) River on a 20-mile front from their Nijmegen corridor in Holland.

At the same time the U.S. 3rd and 7th Armies surged forward three to five miles through fierce German resistance in Alsace-Lorraine. The 3rd Army knocked out 82 German tanks in the powerful onslaught.

On the southern sectors of the 500-mile front, they shredded half a dozen enemy counterattacks which cost the Germans heavily, captured eight to 10 villages and their bag of enemy tanks was one of the biggest since D-Day.

The U.S. 1st Army, on the middle reaches between British forces on the left wing and the U.S. 3rd Army, pushed the line of assault up to the German frontier in yet another sector, capturing Remich in Luxembourg.

ON MOSELLE BOUNDARY

Remich is on the Moselle boundary between Luxembourg and Germany, 11 miles southeast of the city of Luxembourg and 20 miles southwest of the German city of Trier.

There was no word from the 1st Army's salient through the Hurtgen Forest, 14 miles southeast of besieged Aachen, in the push toward the Rhine at Cologne. There, the biggest Allied guns—10-inchers—have been dueling with German batteries and knocking at strategic targets.

Two Channel strongholds—at Calais and Cap Gris Nez—appeared ripe to topple into Canadian hands today. At first light an all-out assault was launched on the Cap Gris Nez fortifications, while troops besieging Calais and hemming its garrison in on three sides stood by temporarily.

2,000 PRISONERS CAPTURED

Already 2,000 prisoners have been taken at Calais and the city has been under recurrent attack from rocket-firing planes of the Tactical Air Force and from British heavy bombers.

Field Marshal Montgomery's 21st Army group forces, pushing out westward from their salient in Holland, where they threatened to cut off some 200,000 Germans, also moved to within five miles of Hertogenbosch and, closing their bridgehead over the Antwerp-Turnhout Canal. Canadian troops also had advanced from two to three miles across the canal.

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Franklin P. Adams Nominated for Senator

BRIDGEPORT, Conn. (AP)—Franklin P. Adams, one of radio's Information Please oracles, was unanimously nominated for state senator Thursday night by Democrats of Connecticut's 25th senatorial district.

He will oppose William E. Sheehy Jr., Republican, of Shelton.

Said Adams, who shared a speaking program with other party candidates: "My nomination, which has been predicted in the press for the past three weeks, is a giant surprise to me."

"I plan a campaign patterned after a man who preceded me in office—Calvin Coolidge. I will campaign by keeping my trap shut."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chris' Coffee Shop closed for staff holiday. Reopens Oct. 7. ***

Pro-Bec Class re-opens next week. For information—Francis Borde, E 2365. ***

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McNaughton Retires As Full General; Future Undecided



OTTAWA (CP)—The second general in Canadian army history—soldierly and scholarly A. G. L. McNaughton—characteristically was spending this first day of his retirement from the army in an inspection of a war plant he had a hand in developing, leaving the question of his future employment unanswered.

An announcement Thursday night by Defence Minister Ralston, told of the former army commander's promotion from the rank of lieutenant-general to full general, and his retirement, and spoke of his natural desire "to make plans for the future."

In an exchange of letters the general spoke of the time having arrived when he should be free to give his attention "to other matters." And Col. Ralston replied that in recent talks he had noted the general's eagerness "to make plans for active work again."

But nowhere was mentioned the civilian post to which Gen. McNaughton will eventually go. It was learned on good authority, however, that for the present, at least, the general will not return to his prewar post as president of the National Research Council. It was known he desires a post of public service.

MAY TAKE UNRA

If he is not returning to the Research Council the speculation is that he may be going to an executive post with the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration.

Another report is that he may accept the presidency of the University of Manitoba, formerly held by Sidney Smith, now principal of University College, University of Toronto, and executive assistant with right of succession to president H. J. Cuddy. H. P. Armes, dean of arts and science, is acting president of the University of Manitoba.

It was speculated in some quarters, too, that the general might be appointed Lieutenant-Governor of his native province of Saskatchewan, succeeding the retiring Hon. Archibald P. McNab. His retirement will become effective Oct. 1.

The general's deep interest and constant concern in the welfare of war veterans is well known, and with the government on the eve of announcing a demobilization plan, it also is considered a possibility that he may be slated to administer it.

Another possibility was that he might be given a high appointment in the diplomatic service—possibly an ambassadorship. But whatever was in store for him, Gen. McNaughton was at nearby Renfrew, Ont., today squinting at the processing of magnesium. And this was typical of the great soldier who, in his long career never let his scientific interest flag in the production of tools of war.

Army Jeep Driver Committed for Trial

Pte. Albert Puhl, R.C.A.S.C., charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of 80-year-old Charles Ibbetson, who was killed when struck by an army jeep driven by Puhl, on the East Saanich Road, Sept. 6, was committed for trial by Magistrate H. C. Hall in Saanich court this afternoon.

Three prosecution witnesses called to the stand said they had seen an army jeep driven along the East Saanich Road by a soldier at about 8.15 on the morning of Sept. 6, the morning Mr. Ibbetson was killed. The army vehicle had been traveling at an excessive speed, they said, but did not identify the driver.

F. Shore, mechanic, told the court he had tested the jeep's brakes on Sept. 18, stopping the vehicle from speeds of 20, 30 up to about 45 miles per hour. He had found the brakes satisfactory, he said.

G. E. Fleming, photographer, identified the pictures which were produced in court as those he had taken of the scene of the accident. Claude Harrison, city prosecutor, entered the pictures and the negatives as exhibits after they had been examined by H. A. Beckwith, defence counsel.

5 Crewmen From Athabaskan Freed From Nazis' Hands

OTTAWA (CP)—Five crewmen who survived the May 29 sinking of the destroyer Athabaskan in pre-invasion patrol in the English Channel have told how the Canadian ship was hit by a torpedo, how they were taken prisoner and how they were delivered by Allied invading armies.

A naval release today tells of the experiences of the five Canadians: Surg-Lieut. James Fyfe of Crystal City, Man.; CPO William Mitchell, Vancouver; Stoker John Dolan, Montreal; AB Edward McCloy, Brockville, Ont.; and OS Raymond Moar, Chatham, N.B.

The five, with 30 other Athabaskan personnel, were plucked out of the water by German naval craft and taken to a Brest hospital. They were in Brest from May 29 to June 11, when they were removed to a French hospital at Orleans. On June 11, 22 who had recovered, were sent to German prison camps while the other five were liberated by the Allies Aug. 16. Four days later they were flown back to England.

FLOWN TO ENGLAND

Surg-Lieut. Fyfe and CPO Mitchell, both of them suffering from broken legs, are still in hospital in southern England. AB McCloy is in a hospital in Scotland. Stoker Dolan and OS Moar are completely recovered.

The morning the Athabaskan was sunk, Fyfe was at his action stations post in the sick bay. Suddenly there was a terrific explosion.

He rushed out on deck. The whole after end of the ship was on fire. With a group of seamen, he tried to jettison the depth charges on the quarterdeck, but the flames barred their way. "I think a torpedo struck us astern," he said.

He was knocked unconscious by the force of a second explosion. He tried to raise himself then, but couldn't. He realized "his legs were broken."

"I thought I was finished," he said. Fyfe was washed into the sea and he remembered making fast to a raft.

After being in the water four or five hours he and 12 other survivors were picked up by German patrol craft. They were taken to Brest, where they were placed in a German hospital.

"They treated us all very well

and, in my case, they took many X-rays," Fyfe said. "The food was good."

For 10 days before U.S. troops arrived at Orleans, the Germans were giving every sign of alarm. The prison camp near the town was moved. The German guards, left at the hospital, were trying unsuccessfully to surrender to British officer patients.

In the afternoon of Aug. 16, the Maquis, heavily armed and wearing black berets, entered the hospital and took away the German guards. Later, the Yanks came.

CPO Mitchell recalled there was a terrific explosion. Looking aft, he could see 20-foot flames towering over the stern of the destroyer. He started to help to get the fire fighting apparatus into commission. Just as he bent down to pick up the hose, a second explosion occurred.

He lost consciousness. Someone grasped him under the arms and dragged him to the starboard side of the ship. Suddenly the ship took a violent list to port. For a few seconds he sat on the bilge keel. Then he kicked off into the water.

SEES VICTORIA

Fifty yards from the ship, he found a Carley float. He remembers some of the men on the float.

They included: OS Stephen Durnell, Victoria, B.C.; LS Ralph Cummins, Wild Rose, Sask.; PO James Kelly, Calgary; OS Clarence Stutz, Edmonton.

For nearly five hours he clung to the raft. Then, as three German destroyers sped towards the raft, he lost consciousness.

Provinces May Check Evictions By New Legislation

OTTAWA (CP)—Spokesmen for cities in which families face eviction are being advised to seek provincial legislation to give the protection desired, with the assurance the Dominion will make the provisions effective on a temporary basis, by order-in-council.

Representations have been made to Finance Minister Iseby by Victoria, Vancouver and Toronto officials who say a serious situation has developed in their communities with some families homeless now and others likely to be displaced Sept. 30.

With extensive housing regula-

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C. MURRAY REYNOLDS

who was unanimously re-elected president of Nanaimo Federal Liberal Association at the annual meeting this week in Duncan.

tions for the protection of tenants already in effect, federal officials said the additional action considered necessary should be taken by the provincial legislatures.

No final arrangement has yet been entered into with British Columbia.

21 B.C. Airmen Get Commissions

Twenty-one British Columbia airmen have been commissioned overseas with the R.C.A.F., the

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LONDON (CP)—The War Office has denied that a leading Nazi was appointed by Allied officers in the field as mayor of

Military Charged With 'Covering Up' In Zombie Case

DUCAN, B.C.—Demand for action in the case of the Zombies who beat up overseas service soldiers after calling them "suckers" for their war service, is called for by the Cowichan Leader in an editorial today. The Leader charges military officials in charge of this area with an effort to sidetrack or drop the whole issue so as not to cause hard feeling between Zombies and overseas service men.

"What would Canadians—in Normandy think?" the Leader asks.

"The week has produced no further developments in the affair which sent a man of 62 to hospital with a broken jaw, following what is alleged to have been an attack on him and his two GS sons by uniformed men believed to have been home defence troops. The provincial police have found no evidence on which to lay a charge, and the military authorities have made no statement.

"Now generally known as the 'zombie case,' it would seem that there is an official desire to allow the affair to quieten down for fear of engendering trouble between active service and home defence men. It appears, too, that there is much general information on the case being circulated, but that all persons with knowledge of the matter have not been willing or required to testify.

ZOMBIE'S WIFE KNOWS

"We are coming to a pretty pass if intimidation or fear of hoodlumism is to prevent the administration of justice. If Mr. deBock had been so badly injured that he had died, is it to be presumed that the murderers would still have been allowed to go unapprehended?

"A person whose report can be relied upon without question recently was in conversation with the wife of a zombie. She stated that she knew who had done the jaw breaking, and so did every

one in the military establishment in Duncan.

"It becomes less and less difficult for the public to piece together evidence which damns both military and civil authorities for absolute dereliction of duty in failing to bring to account the men concerned in the affair. Let us review facts and deductions:

"In the first place, if the deBocks were at fault it is obvious that the others concerned in the melee would have nothing to fear. But they skulk under cover.

BEER PARLOR START

"It is asserted by some, although this is denied by the family, that the trouble started with some bailing in the beer parlor. This would make every aspect of the case worse for the Zombies, for the fight took place several blocks from the beer room and while the deBocks were on their way home. The inference then would be that some home defence troops ganged up and waited for them at a quiet spot near the Creamery.

"Was Mr. deBock the only casualty? That is very doubtful. We feel sure that two GS men would give a good account of themselves in that sort of melee and that some of the Zombies were marked well enough for identification had those whose duty it was to sift the case properly cared to look the right way.

MILITARY HEDGING

"This makes it possible to accept with some credence the assertion that nothing resembling a full line-up of the military personnel here was arranged when attempts at identification were made.

"Then, while censorship prevents reports of movements of troops, it surely can be asked why transfers from the Duncan depot are being made at this time. The reply, of course, will be that men are always coming and going. True, yet if there were a proper interest in justice the men would be held and investigation vigorously continued until adequate results were obtained.

"As it is, two GS men, one back from overseas, and their father, have been attacked, and the father has been so injured as to suffer considerable shock and heavy expense, with the perpetrators not brought to account. This seems shabby treatment for a family in which there are four active service boys.

"We are forced to the conclusion that the military authorities are more interested in covering up the matter than seeing to it that justice is done; and that the civil police are acquiescing or have been barred from the full information they require.

"Irrespective of what may have caused the trouble, the affair calls loudly for proper action. The mayor, city council and Canadian Legion should demand that the case be not allowed to go by default."

F.D.R. Denounces Argentine Gov't. For Fascist Moves

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt today denounced the Argentine government, for what he termed the growth of Nazi-Fascist influences developing in that country at the very time when Nazi forces are facing defeat in Germany.

Mr. Roosevelt said Argentina had repudiated a solid inter-American system for defence against Nazi aggression and stated, in the words of Prime Minister Churchill, that every nation will be judged by the part it plays in war, neutrals and belligerents alike.

He said his statement today was important now because of deceptions on the part of Nazi radio broadcasts beamed to Argentina which say Allied councils are divided in their attitude toward Argentina. Mr. Roosevelt described the broadcasts as fabrications.

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8th Army Meets Stiff Opposition Across Rubicon

ROME (CP)—British 8th Army troops have run into severe opposition in the Adriatic sector of the Italian front, with the enemy launching a series of fresh counterattacks in the Rubicon River area, today's Allied communique reported.

U.S. troops of the Allied 5th Army have captured Mount Battaglia, 11 miles from Imola, important Po valley city on the Bologna-Rimini highway.

The Yanks also seized three key heights commanding the direct route north to Bologna.

Eighth Army forces made gains in the southeastern edges of the Po valley. The enemy has dug in along strong defence lines that parallel the Fiumicino River, the first major water barrier encountered since the breakthrough into level country, and is fighting savagely.

Incessant heavy German counterattacks marked the 8th Army's narrow penetration into the Po valley.

CANADIANS CROSS STREAM

The Canadians hammered the enemy out of the village of San Mauro di Romagnan, eight miles northwest of Rimini and a little over a mile east of the Fiumicino River. Leading elements established a small bridgehead across the stream.

Nazi armor and infantry drove 8th Army troops from a 1,000-foot ridge southeast of Savignano. Equally fierce fighting came when the British withstood two sharp counterattacks northwest of the village of Canonica, eight miles west of Rimini. British units reached Tribola, two miles southwest of Canonica, but were driven back by strong enemy opposition.

9,000 CAPTURED

The 8th Army reported 9,000 prisoners captured in the current offensive in the Adriatic sector, in addition to the seizure of 73 armored vehicles and 43 anti-tank guns.

The M.A.A.F. flew only 100 sorties Thursday as the weather restricted flying operations to one of the lowest points reached this year.

Allied headquarters gave no specific information on gains on the west flank of the 8th Army, where the Brazilians have been keeping a steady pace, but said "important advances have been made" and "the entire Gohir zone has now been penetrated with the exception of a small area of the west coast."

Partial Agreement Reached in Soviet Talks at Dumbarton

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON (AP)—The Dumbarton Oaks Security conference announced today they had reached "a large measure of agreement" on plans for a world organization during the Russian phase of the conference.

"The Russian talks, which have lasted six weeks and failed to settle all issues, were concluded Thursday with a series of speeches by the British, U.S. and Soviet delegation chairmen.

The Anglo-American delegates were scheduled to meet a Chinese group this afternoon for concluding security talks expected to last about 10 days.

A joint statement issued today by Under-Secretary of State Stettinius, chairman of the conference, by Sir Alexander Cadogan, the British chairman, and by Soviet Ambassador Andrei A. Gromyko, said:

"Conversations between the United States, United Kingdom and Soviet Union delegations in Washington regarding the establishment of a world security organization have now been completed.

"These conversations have been useful and have led to a large measure of agreement on recommendations for the general framework of the organization, and in particular for the machinery required to maintain peace and security.

"The three delegations are making reports to their respective governments, which will consider these reports and will in due course issue simultaneous statements on the subject."

It appears possible that further big power talks among top-ranking officials, will precede a full-scale United Nations meeting to organize the world.

31st Street Fatality
VANCOUVER (CP)—Cyril Edward Machon, 60, was killed in downtown Vancouver Thursday night when struck by a street car. An inquest has been set for Oct. 2. It was Vancouver's 31st traffic fatality this year.

Roosevelt Order Apparently Backs Secretary Hull

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt today ordered a speed-up in U.S. plans for rendering Germany harmless after the war, and specifically put the job under State Department guidance.

The order was issued in a letter to Leo T. Crowley, chief of the Foreign Economic Administration, and while it covered non-German subjects in its eight points, it apparently is the outgrowth of the sharp division in the President's postwar cabinet committee over a German peace plan submitted by Treasury Secretary Morgenthau.

This division reflected a fundamental policy disagreement between Secretaries Stimson and Hull on the one hand and Morgenthau, who proposed the virtual de-industrialization of Germany to prevent its making future wars.

Mr. Hull and the State Department, which had exercised unquestioned direction of long-range German planning until Mr. Morgenthau won attention for his plan, have tentatively counted on restoration of Germany's industrial economy under ruthless Allied controls. Under the President's order today this policy now, apparently, is to prevail.

MUST ACCELERATE

Point seven of the President's letter to Mr. Crowley said:

"You have been making studies from the economic standpoint of what should be done after the surrender of Germany to control its power and capacity to make war in the future.

"This work must be accelerated, and under the guidance of the Department of State you should furnish assistance in work, and when requested to do so in personnel by making available specialists to work with the military authorities, the foreign service, and such other American agencies and officials as participate with the United Nations in seeing to it that Germany does not become a menace again to succeeding generations."

Other than on this point, Mr. Roosevelt's order to Crowley covered what F. E. A. should do in readjusting its long-standing operations to the defeat of Germany.

FOR DEFEAT OF JAPAN

"Lend-Lease should continue to be furnished in whatever amounts are necessary for the most effective prosecution of the war," he said, making clear that this meant the flow of lend-lease aid should be continued as needed to defeat Japan, as well as Germany.

The policy statement included a direction for international trade after Germany collapses "on as full and free a basis as possible... not only as a sound economic foundation for the future peace, but... in order that we may have fuller production and employment at home."

Vancouver Builds R.N. Supply Ships

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian shipyards are engaged on orders for 21 "floating workshops," seven fleet-victualing vessels and a number of supply and combat ships for the British Navy, preparing for large-scale operations in the Pacific.

A supply department official disclosed this in commenting on Prime Minister Churchill's statement to the British Commons Thursday that a "substantial portion" of the navy's supply ships were being built in Canada.

The official said the vessels were a modification of the Fort class, 10,000-ton freighter. Of the 21 maintenance ships, the keels of seven were laid in Vancouver yards by Aug. 31 and the first three will be launched by Oct. 1. The remainder also will be turned out of Vancouver yards.

In the war period ended Aug. 31, Canadian yards produced 312 freighters and tankers and 415 combat ships—many of which were delivered to the United Kingdom.

Buerckel Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—Joseph Buerckel, minister in Hitler's government and one of the highest ranking Nazis, died today of inflammation of the lungs, the German radio announced.

Among posts he held at various times were those of civil administrator of Lorraine; head of the civil administration in Moravia, a province of dismembered Czechoslovakia; and governor of the Saar, one of Germany's richest sections on her western

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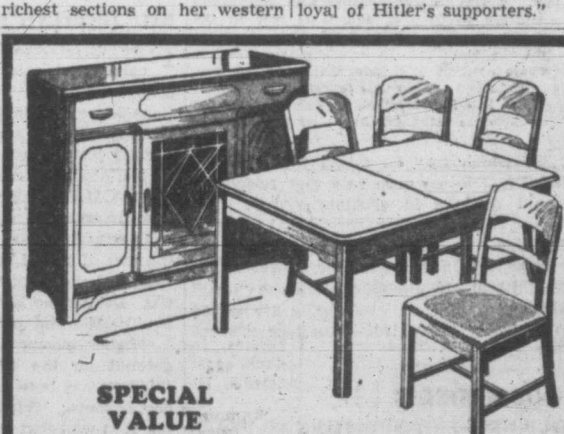
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PAKISTAN PARLEY FAILS

MOHANDAS K. GANDHI AND MAHOMED ALI JINNAH have failed to reach an agreement on Pakistan—separate states for Hindus and Moslems—as a way out of the internal political deadlock in India. It is nevertheless important that the leading spokesmen for the two sides to the question have met face to face. It is significant and promising, too, that the Mahatma no longer brushes aside the existence of the Moslem League—of which Mr. Jinnah is president—on the plea that the interests of that great minority of about 90,000,000 souls would be safe in the hands of his Congress Party.

The point which interests all well-wishers of India now is what Mr. Gandhi proposed to the Moslem League that could be considered a real and effective partnership. The brief dispatches recording the breakdown of the parley do not tell us. However, what ought to be clear to those "experts" in this and other countries, who pontifically proclaim their views of British policy in India, is that so long as Indian leaders themselves fail to find common ground on which to compose their own differences, the idea of granting "independence now"—on which the Congress has insisted—is not sound.

We shall expect to hear critics of British policy hold forth again as they learn of the abortive Gandhi-Jinnah parley. In the latest issue of the Washington Post, for example, is a half-page advertisement—"paid for by a handful of Indian nationalists" residing in the United States. It is addressed to the "People of America" and tells them that "India's freedom is essential for speedy victory over the Japanese and a lasting world peace." It quotes Ambassador William Phillips, Mr. Roosevelt's personal envoy to India, from a 16-month-old "secret document" as saying: "It would appear that we will have the prime responsibility in the conduct of the war against Japan; there is no evidence that the British intend to do more than give a token assistance," and "the present Indian army is purely mercenary."

Anglophobe Senator Albert Chandler of Kentucky gets a spot in the advertisement for his repudiation of the argument "now being used by high officials of the British government, namely, that what happened in India is none of our business." He calls upon the President "to make a full report to the Senate" on conditions in India... so that "we may safeguard the well-being of our sons... and other kinsmen who are heroically fighting the hated Japanese enemy in the Far East." Representative Calvin Johnson of Illinois wins a mention for his view that "it is vital for the United States to have more active support from the Indian Army and the Indian people."

In the issue carrying the advertisement to which we have referred, incidentally, the Post deals at length editorially with the Phillips extracts and says "it is incredible that these words should have been regarded seriously then, let alone now," noting that Mr. Churchill's Quebec declaration speaks for itself—as actualities have borne out the circumstantial evidence within the last 16 months. Commenting that "mercenary" is not a pleasant word, "meaning as it does a man who is paid to fight for a foreign country," the influential Washington daily concludes:

"It is pertinent, in view of what has been said about the Indian army, to recall some of its deeds. In Africa, in Europe, and in Asia the Indians can look upon their martial record with pride. The first country to be liberated was Ethiopia, and the job was accomplished by the Indians. Field Marshal Montgomery has himself testified that the Fourth Indian Division was one of the best divisions in the glorious Eighth Army. It was to this division that von Arnim surrendered in Tunisia, and it is now in the forefront of the battle in Italy. Indian troops played the main part in repelling the full-scale Japanese attempt to invade India, and are now fighting in Burma. In this campaign the Japanese have lost 50,000 killed, or one-third of the total Japanese estimated killed by the Allies to date."

To which may be added the reminder that Dr. Johnson once said that friendship should be kept in constant repair. The Quebec parley evidently served that purpose. For the conferees parted in "a blaze of friendship." In the meantime, however, Mr. Gandhi and Mr. Jinnah possess the "tools" which some folk in Washington are trying to use by remote control—with inexperienced "hands."

GOOD BUSINESS

BUSINESS ANALYSTS HAVE NO FEARS for the prospects for the foreign trade of Canada for a while after the war. Something like a trade boom is being indicated for a year or so, at least, as the plans of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration unfold. Hints have been appearing during the sessions of the organization in Montreal that the role it is destined to play as a foreign purchasing agent will have an increasingly important bearing on our economy during the transition period. Objection has been voiced that the \$12,000,000 which UNRRA has already spent for goods in Canada and the \$90,000,000 and more it is going to spend will be paid out of the taxpayers' funds and that we shall

thus really be giving away the goods we send overseas. UNRRA's financing is, of course, another form of lend-lease in which members of the United Nations put up part of the purchasing power on a basis related to the national income of each member. The key point, however, as regards the effect on our national economy is that the UNRRA purchases here will be made at a time when the war buying to which we have geared our business pace will be easing off.

Circumstances bring occasions when it is good business as well as wise politics to indulge in lend-lease or some other form of credit financing. In peace as well as in war, when a nation is surrounded by neighbors that are desperate or bankrupt, it serves our own self interest intelligently to make our surplus of useful goods available to the needy.

However, it should be borne in mind that the trade stimulation that comes as a result of sharing our abundance in this manner is not a normal trade. The hope is that when funds devoted to this purpose are exhausted, the countries we are now aiding will have their houses in order. The sound basis then would be if we could trade on a reciprocal basis in which payments received for goods sold came in goods or services received.

'FAIRLY CLOSE CONNECTION'

ONE REMARK DROPPED AT THE inaugural meeting of the Victoria Bracken Club last Wednesday evening will probably strike some people as not a little naive. The speaker was Mr. Earl Bennett, head of the membership committee of the Vancouver body, who gently intimated to his audience that some Bracken Clubs "have a fairly close connection with the Progressive Conservative Party." In his capacity as provisional president of the local organization, however, Mr. Bennett explained that it had been formed for education and discussion of politics and economic planning—and that "the club at the present time has no political affiliations."

Surely the formation of Bracken Clubs requires neither apology nor explanation. Any movement which has for its object the development of an interest in public affairs should be encouraged, regardless of its name or political persuasion, so long as its guiding principle is Canada's well-being in every sense of the term. One of the most insidious internal enemies of our time is an apathetic attitude toward matters which affect the lives of all Canadians in one way or another. And this is a period in history when intelligent men and women should be applying themselves to the consideration of those problems which directly concern the contribution we intend to make toward a lasting peace.

No matter from what type of organization the thirst for knowledge of this country's hopes and prospects comes, unless interest is fostered on sound lines, many of the dreams of a brave new world will never be realized. As for Bracken Clubs, our Conservative friends have adopted an idea; it is for them to make it work. But it is no complaint to the man whose name they bear to evade association with the Progressive Conservative Party.

THE SATELLITES' PEACE

IT IS UNLIKELY THAT THE NAZI Oligarchy will get any wrong ideas from the lenient armistice terms given to Finland and Romania. The drafters of these terms might have judged that the chief sin of the Finnish and Romanian people was an excess of discretion over valor. The governments of both countries have behaved reprehensibly. But a Canadian could at least understand the Finnish people's predicament, even if he could not excuse their action. And he could understand the Romanians' helplessness against a government which has long kept them poverty-ridden and all but voiceless. The Nazis know that it is different with them. The Germans were an educated, enlightened people. They knew what was happening. But thousands of their soldiers stand already convicted of barbarous crimes for which no excuse of ignorance can be offered. Europe will remember German complacency and German crime. And so surely will the men who dictate Germany's terms. The Nazi government and the German people know this. That is why they are still fighting.

NOT GETTING RICHER

IN SPITE OF ALL THE REPORTED HIGH volume of profits and earnings under conditions of war "prosperity," the rich in Canada are certainly not becoming richer.

This fact is emphasized anew by the figures just issued by the federal Minister of National Revenue. These show that as against 11,816 individual taxpayers in 1940 with incomes of more than \$10,000, there were only 8,036 last year in all Canada. The incomes of the 11,816 totaled \$240,822,309 in 1940, and the taxation on these was \$38,643,690. During the last year, the 8,036 received \$164,190,000 and paid in taxes \$51,134,479. Higher income and excess profits taxes account for the difference. Prosperity in this war has been confined to the lower income groups. This is evident on every hand, but it is well that we should have the latest facts before us.

NOTES

You can recognize a mountain resort village at any season by the wild cats left behind by tourists.

German officers still obey. Hitler told them to salute by holding up one hand, and they go farther and hold up both.

Chivalry was often insulting. Old-timers said it was woman's privilege to change her mind, meaning she couldn't be trusted to keep her word.

When Daddy Comes Home

By J. H. GRAY

IN ALL THE planning for the postwar years that is being done the world over, planning that includes economic and political reconstruction, vast schemes for rehabilitation of the wounded and the demobilized, great plans for raising living and health standard; in all this nothing is being done about the greatest of postwar problems, the problem of intimate human relationships. Nothing is being done because nothing can be done, for it is a problem which only the individuals concerned can work out.

No one who thinks beyond the smiling faces of the returning service men and their happy, reunited families can be unaware of this problem. This war has literally torn years from the family lives of our young people—precious years, formative years, years which can never be regained and which will condition the many more years which are to come.

To thousands of young Canadians—and Americans and Russians and Britons too—Daddy is not somebody who comes home at night to supper; who fixes wagons, goes for walks, plays ball, reads stories aloud and occasionally administers a spanking. Daddy is a picture on the wall, on the table or on mother's bureau. He is a nice looking man in a fine uniform and someday he will come home again and it will be such fun!

YES, HE WILL come home again. There will be fun. That is for sure. But after the fun, after the happy reunion has been enjoyed to the limit, there will come the period of readjustment. There will be a man in the house again after so many years and the effect upon the household, though it consist of a single room or a mansion, will be profound. What is more, it will be a strange man in the house. The ordeal of war will have changed him considerably, perhaps deeply; just as the ordeal of trying to be a father and a mother to growing children will have wrought profound changes in the personality of the mother.

Family life cannot be picked up where it was dropped two, four or five years ago. The intrinsic nature of families, of life itself, makes that impossible. Instead a new life must be created; and for many it will be so very, very hard. There will be some heartbreaks, some disillusionment, but in the end there will be a new life for human nature is adaptable to new conditions and new surroundings.

For the returning service men, and of course for their families, it will be a new adventure. For many of the men one of life's greatest adventures—the early growth of a young family—will have passed them by. But there will be compensations, very great compensations.

FOR THE younger servicemen the problem of readjustment will be infinitely more difficult than for the older men. Many will come back to young wives and babies. After two, three and four years of having everything done for them, of having others worry about their welfare, they will suddenly find themselves on their own. They will not only have to worry about themselves but about their families as well. The test of responsibility will be thrust upon them. Thousands of them, who went straight from school and college to the forces, will discover the new world of business and the task of making a living. What was once a life of great simplicity will become a life of vast complexity.

It is true that the governments may help in these readjustments. There will be committees and organizations galore to help fit the service men back into civilian life. But none of these organizations can solve the problem of human relationship. This must be solved by the men and women and children themselves. They have got to work it out, almost hour by hour and day by day. The daddy who was once a picture on the wall must grow into the family in a sort of self-grafting operation. The organizations, the committees, the rehabilitation schemes will help only to provide the service men with an economic base from which to operate. But the ultimate happiness of all these human beings does not depend upon jobs or work. It depends in the final analysis whether a happy home life can be achieved. Without that, work tends to lose its meaning, to become merely drudgery or, at best, futility. With it work takes on new meaning and becomes a means to a greater end. The orators have been saying that these returning servicemen will be the builders of a great new Canada. If they succeed only in building happy family lives for themselves and their wives and children a great new Canada will follow automatically.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q—What is text blindness?
A—A nervous condition rendering the victim unable to understand printed words or symbols, though ability to speak them and understand them when spoken is retained.

Q—What is irreverentism?
A—The national policy of claiming territory of other nations settled by nationals of the claimant nation. Remember Hitler's pre-1939 rantings?

GEMS OF THOUGHT—THOUGHT

"The key to every man is his thought. Sturdy and defying though he look, he has a helm which he obeys, which is the idea after which all his facts are classified."—Emerson.

"By purifying human thought, this state of mind permeates with increased harmony all the minutiae of human affairs."—Mary Baker Eddy.

Let's not betray the boys this time by refusing to enforce the victory they win—as we did before.

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By J. M. ROBERTS JR.
Associated Press War Analyst

It is clear now that Allied operations in Albania are minor, airborne and commando units having been landed to help plug any gaps through which enemy forces fleeing Greece might escape to northern Italy or through the loosely-held Yugoslav Partisan territory to Austria.

It is doubtful the western Allies plan any major action in the Balkan area, leaving it instead to Russia and Partisan forces.

The intensity of Allied interests in the situation, however, is indicated in the announcement of an Allied over-all command for Greek Partisan forces which not so long ago were fighting among themselves.

One of the headaches which the Greek government-in-exile was unable to solve in recent unity conferences was the matter of command. The E.A.M., which has claimed control of a large portion of

Greece, insisted that other Partisans, including the Edeas, who also had been very active against the Germans, should come under E.A.M. command. This was refused.

Now, apparently, the Allies have stepped in to take over the whole show, probably with the approval of both sides.

Another little-known Partisan outfit from which we may hear more soon is the Russian-sponsored S.N.O.F. (People's National Liberation Front) in Bulgaria. They may become particularly active in clearing from Yugoslavia the Bulgarian army forces sent there last spring to relieve German units for duty against Russia.

The main job against Germany, of course, is to be done by the Allies in the west and Russian forces from Poland. But a south-eastern front is rapidly being developed which may prove, in the long run, more important than the Italian campaign in the actual battle for Germany.

INNOCENTS ABROAD

From San Francisco Chronicle

The average American thinks he is a pretty smart lad, but General Stilwell's headquarters in Burma had to step in to rescue them from their blind Chinese allies who admiringly sell them souvenirs. Captured Japanese battle flags bought to send home turn out to be made of parachute silk with ornamental Chinese characters that convey highly risqué comments about the soft saps with more money than wits.

So headquarters has posted warnings that the Chinese, bony fighters in a pinch, nevertheless have a pecuniary sense of humor that leads them into what Bret Harte called "ways that are dark, and tricks that are vain." Evidently they have not been all in vain. However, since the home folks do not read Chinese and probably no one ever will enlighten them, G.I. Joe may not have made such a bad bargain, after all. If people think the battle flags are genuine, they serve the purpose.

OBsolete ENGLISH LAWS

From Kitchener Record

England has a lot of obsolete laws that are still on the statute book because they were allowed to remain there for the same reason that deck drawers and files in business offices are often cluttered up with antiquated documents. Home Office experts have at last got around to searching out unnecessary rulings for the purpose of having them abolished. Here are some of the acts they found to be still illegal:

1. To eat meat on Wednesday.
2. To eat mince pie at Christmas. (Such is said in the statute book to be "an idolatrous thing.")
3. To exhort any of His Majesty's liege subjects to abstain from the consumption of alcoholic liquor.
4. To go to church otherwise than on foot. If you do, the local constable may confiscate the vehicle and sell it "for the indulgent of the parish."
5. To swear profanely, even indoors. For a "gentleman" the fine is three shillings, four pence; for those above "a gentleman," five shillings.



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THREE WOMEN'S WORK

From Labor and Industry in Britain

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AND MANY LEFT BEHIND

From London Free Press

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ISLAND MUTTON

CHOPS	Shoulder, per lb	24c	Legs, whole or	28c	
	Rib, per lb.	20c	shank half, lb.		
Pork Legs, per lb.	28c	Pork Steaks, per lb.	28c	Shoulder Veal Steak, per lb.	27c
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Spencer's



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"Better than ever . . . more important than ever! Put your faith in casual coats this fall!" So says every flash that comes in to us these days from fashion authorities everywhere. It's your well-loved casual coat they mean. The coat without which no woman can get smoothly through a fall season. And our Fashion Floor has a tempting collection right now for early fall choosing. Knife-edge tailoring gives them the clean-cut look of distinction. Free-swinging lines give them a youthful, spirited air. Adroitly-cut armholes give them the depth to slide with ease over suit shoulders. Which all adds up to the perfect coat you'll wear with style from the last gasp of summer right through until the snow flies.

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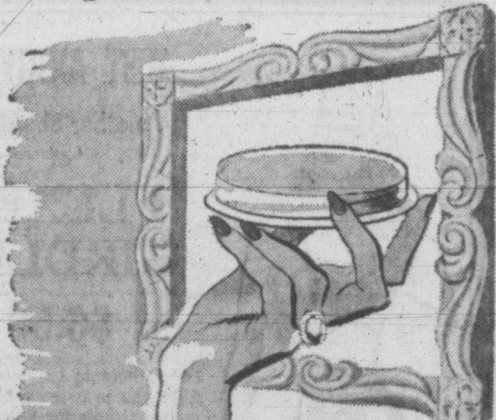
—Millinery, First Floor



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WINDBREAKERS with full zipper and two pockets. Of plain shade frieze cloth . . . blue, brown, green or plaids. Size 24 . . . 3⁹⁵ Size 34 . . . 4²⁵
to 32 . . . 3⁹⁵ to 36 . . . 4²⁵

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No other shampoo
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Only Drene with Hair Conditioner reveals up to 33% more lustre than soap
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Maybe it's just because you're washing it with soap or
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Conditioner. Drene never leaves any dulling film. That's why
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Does your hair-do require constant fiddling?

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Personals

Lady Swettenham has re-
turned to the Empress Hotel
after spending the past week in
Vancouver, where she was en-
tertained at a number of small
parties.

Among Vancouver visitors reg-
istered at the Empress are Mr.
and Mrs. F. Kershaw, Mr. and
Mrs. T. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. M. W.
Weir, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Good,
Mr. and Mrs. S. E. C. Turvey,
and Mr. and Mrs. W. Akhurst.

Mrs. H. E. Braley was hostess
to a number of guests at the tea
hour Wednesday in the Empress
Hotel, honoring her daughter-in-
law, Mrs. R. F. Braley, the former
Miss June Smiley. Mrs. F. E.
Doidge and Mrs. G. Randall pre-
sided at the tea table.

Miss Faith Atkinson, whose
marriage will take place next
month, was guest of honor at a
miscellaneous shower held at her
home, 584 Victoria Avenue, Thurs-
day evening by Mrs. C. N. Curtis
and Mrs. T. Bannister. Others
present were Mesdames T. At-
kinson, Roy Wormsley, J. Gibbs,
V. Luke, A. Rutledge, Jacobson,
A. Edwards, Pearson, W. Cos-
man, E. Keiser, A. Gordon, G.
Bishop, P. Calvert, F. Sims, G.
Fleiser, E. Dale and H. R. Brown.
Misses Florence Cosman, Patricia
Gibbs and Vera Curtis.

Miss Beatrice May, whose mar-
riage took place Thursday eve-
ning, was honored earlier this
week when Mesdames E. Harri-
son, F. Henderson and F. J. Cox
entertained at a miscellaneous
shower at the latter's home on
Simcoe Street. The guests in-
cluded Mesdames N. Goldsmith,
M. Burns, E. Taylor, M. Atwell,
L. Cooper, J. Marshall, L. Crow-
ther, M. Breithanbach, and Misses
Marge Page, Marine Pierce,
Blanche Gagnon, Marge Turner,
Mary Westmacott, Ethel Miller,
Barbara Warren and Eileen Col-
lins.

First christening on H.M.C.S.
Saint Hyacinthe at Montreal was
performed when the small son of
Pay. Lt. Cmdr. Bruce F. Gorely of
Hongkong and Toronto, and Mrs.
Gorely, the former Kathleen
Lewell, received the names of
Bruce Richard, Pay. Lt. Cmdr. G.
R. Razavet was the godfather.
Mrs. Razavet acting proxy in the
absence of the godmother, Miss
Delphine Rankin of Victoria.
Padre G. A. Stone, Church of
England chaplain, officiated. The
font was made from the old
ship's bell and the christening
water came from the Pacific
ocean. After the ceremony a re-
ception was held in the nursing
sisters' and Wren officers' quar-
ters, where Mrs. A. P. Musgrave
poured tea.

(Other Women's News, Page 7)

Government House Tea Honors Doctors and Wives



Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward entertained 200 members of the British Columbia Medical Association and their wives at tea at Government House Thursday. Left to right-standing are: Mrs. E. E. Day, Vancouver; Dr. J. S. McCallum, Esquimalt; and Dr. Day. Sitting: Mrs. W. Laishly and Dr. Laishly, Nelson; Mrs. L. H. Leeson and Dr. Leeson of Vancouver.



Left to right are: Mrs. A. C. Sinclair, Mrs. J. H. Moore, Mrs. W. H. Moore, and Mrs. W. W. Stewart, wives of Victoria doctors, who were among the guests at the Government House tea.

Open Fall Season Of Y.W.C.A. Clubs

Young women numbering 125,
interested in club and service
work, opened the fall and winter
club season of the Y.W.C.A.
Thursday evening with their an-
nual "open house."

Miss Joy Harness, president of
the senior council, acted as chair-
man, and Miss Charlotte Craw-
ford led the games and singing.

Mrs. Alastair Campbell, chair-
man of the girls' program com-
mittee, introduced Miss Margaret
Wightman, new general secre-
tary, to those present. Among
board members present were
Miss A. J. Fawcett, a member of
the first Y.W.C.A. board in Vic-
toria; Mrs. B. S. Heisterman,
president of the board, and Mrs.
W. G. Hamilton, vice-president of
the board.

Miss Marion Foster, girls' pro-
gram secretary, introduced the
fall program plans. Girls were
invited to join the business girls'
clubs, which meet Tuesday and
Thursday nights starting next
week; the Choral Club, which
will start Monday under the di-

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this
heading will be accepted at The Times
Advertising Department. Minimum
charge \$1.25 for 10 lines, and 15¢ for
each additional line.

CPO. R. Duman, Royal Oak,
announces the engagement of his
second daughter, Myrtle Patricia
(Pat), to Cyril Edwin (Ted) Shel-
ley, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs.
J. Shelley, Carey Road. The wed-
ding will take place on Oct. 20.

rection of Mrs. W. H. Wilson:
the Jill Tar Club, for wives of
naval ratings, meeting Wednes-
day-evenings at 8. A Chateleine
Club for young married women
is also being formed.

Friday at 8 will be the first
night for the interest groups,
which will run for six weeks on
Friday evenings. Miss D. Holmes
will give a course in interior de-
corating, Miss M. Beveridge and
Miss G. Swetnam, a course in
hat-making, and Mrs. H. B. Mc-
Clung, a course in glove-making.

In the 19 years prior to Pearl
Harbor the Army Air Forces
trained less than 7,000 pilots; in
1943 more than 207,000 received
instruction in colleges and flight
training centres.

Y.P. Activities

Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.
P.A.—Following a business meet-
ing members went to the mu-
seum, where Dr. Carl showed
various exhibits. Tickets for the
annual dance, to be held Thanks-
giving Day, are on sale and may
be obtained from any member.
Members are reminded of the
"Harvest at Home," to be held
Oct. 2. Next meeting will be
Wednesday, at 8, in the Memorial
Hall and is titled "Gap-osis."

Baptist Y.P.U.—At the last
meeting in Douglas Street Bap-
tist Church, Miss Helen Gregory
led the hymns. A sing-song and
games were led by Don McKlin-
ton. Next week the meeting will
be under the leadership of Misses
Monica Whitehead and Beth
Hamilton.

Club Calendar

Arts and Crafts Sketch Club,
Monday, 1.45 Gorge bus to Craig-
flower Bridge. . . Britannia
Lodge, L.O.B.A., No. 216, social
meeting and drill practice, Tues-
day, 7.30, Orange Hall. Members
will bring chocolate bars. . . St.
Matthew's Guild, Langford, Wed-
nesday, 2, home of Mrs. D. B. F.
Bullen, Marshwood, Station Road.

Entertain Wives of Visiting Lions



Left to right: Mrs. Trenholme, Mrs. Hagan, Mrs. Carl and Mrs. Simmons. Mrs. G. C. Carl, wife of the president of the Lions Club in Victoria, and Mrs. W. A. Trenholme, president of the ladies' auxiliary to the Lions, had as their luncheon guests at the Empress Hotel Thursday: Mrs. C. J. Hagan of Eatonville, Wash., and Mrs. E. A. Simmons of Vancouver. Mr. Hagan, District Governor of Lions, and Mr. Simmons, Deputy District Governor, were making a visit to the Victoria Club Thursday.



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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harder of Portland are at the Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Paterson of Alberni are at the Strathcona.

Mrs. Claire Seale of Hollyburn is at the Empress.

Mrs. Victoria Stewart, Los Angeles, is at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ross, Calgary, are at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. C. W. Luckhurst of Winnipeg is at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Kreson of Dallas, Ore., are visiting Victoria.

Mrs. J. Morris is a visitor at the Strathcona from Nanaimo.

Mrs. V. M. Bendall of Montreal is visiting Victoria, staying at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walker of New Westminster are visiting at the Strathcona.

Miss Rebecca Woods of Seattle, and Miss Alida J. Bloom of Aberdeen, are at the Strathcona.

Miss Muriel Glover, Miss Ruth Nasby and Miss Helen Logan are at the Strathcona from Seattle.

Miss Margaret Watson of Victoria has left for Montreal, where she will be the guest of her uncle, Mr. Hugh Watson of Westmount.

Honoring Mr. George Elliott of Toronto, Mrs. T. Soulsby entertained at her home, 908 Selkirk Avenue, when all the guests were former residents of WallSEND-ONTYNE, Northumberland, England.

Those present included Mrs. W. G. Frampton, Mr. George Elliott and Master Frank Osseltson, old students of WallSEND Secondary School; Mesdames, F. Frampton, T. Soulsby, F. Thomas, H. Osseltson, Misses Bessie McHarg, Thelma Osseltson, Phyllis Frampton, Messrs. T. Soulsby, W. G. Frampton, R. Osseltson and Master Mark Frampton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis have moved from Gordon Head and are now residing on Richardson Street.

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Miss Snyder Speaks To Youth Leaders

A challenge to Christian living and its responsibilities and the tremendous task involved in the leadership of youth today and in the postwar world was the keynote of the address given by Miss Fronia Snyder, B.A., of Vancouver, United Church secretary of Christian education at the interdenominational rally of leaders and Sunday school workers held at First United Church.

Another highlight of the evening was the introduction of the new senior girls' program containing varied projects. This was presented by Mrs. Helen Simpson, assisted by Misses Mary Brooke, Ruth Price, Marion Matchan, Lila Chow Ling, and Betty Spiller. Miss Helen McKinnon led the sing-song and Mrs. F. A. Goodwin closed the meeting with a vespers service.

Mrs. John Ingram-Smith, chairman of the Girls' Work Board, presided and introduced the following members of the board: Vice-chairman, Mrs. F. A. Goodwin; secretary, Miss Eleanor Brooke; treasurer, Miss John Woolley; girls' councillor, Miss Jean Spiller; denominational representatives, Mrs. Goodwin and Miss Doris Lancaster (Anglican), Miss Minnie Beveridge and Miss Marion Stevenson (Baptist), Miss Isobel Scott and Miss Joan Woolley (Presbyterian), Mrs. H. Thompson and Miss Eleanor Brooke (United Church), Miss Marion Foster and Mrs. Helen Simpson (Y.W.C.A. and Y.M.C.A.), Miss M. Laurie (Chinese United), Miss Pearl Willows, Mrs. Tait and Mrs. A. C. Farrell.

Plans were also outlined for a leadership training course to be presented at a week-end retreat in October.

Clubwomen

Members of the Senior Afternoon Branch of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary entertained at a donation tea at the Deanery, Mrs. S. H. Elliott and Mrs. E. H. Bird, president, welcomed the guests. Mrs. J. H. Williams convened the tea arrangements, assisted by Mesdames Green, Partridge, Misses Allonby and Phipps. Mrs. M. W. Mackenzie, Miss Ross Jones, Mrs. Slack and Mrs. Dwyer presided at the tea table. Mrs. C. I. Wrigglesworth, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Clarke, were in charge of the home cooking and garden produce table. Miss Graves presided at the needlework table.

Mrs. M. Smith presided at the last meeting of the Qu Alex Girls' Club. Devotional were read by Miss Ruth Coates. The mystery box was won by Miss Helen Jacques. A sewing meeting will be held at the home of Miss Helen Attack, 1336 George Street, Oct. 12. Mrs. M. Marsh was the evening's hostess and the next meeting will be at the home of Misses Hilda and Helen Jacques, 3121 Fifth Street, Oct. 24.

Members of the forces were guests at a dance following a social meeting of Daughters of St. George, Lodge No. 83. A card party will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Lomas, 1423 Haultain Street, Friday.

Several servicemen were guests at a dance following the last meeting of Victoria Chapter, No. 25, Women of the Moose. Senior Regent, Edith Van Alphen, presided. A card party was also held in aid of war relief. A luncheon cloth was donated by co-worker Margaret Craigmye and proceeds were for parcels for boys overseas. Names and addresses of relatives of members overseas should be given to Mrs. R. H. Bell, G 6941, or

Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 4 Pictured baseball player.
- 8 Ever (cont.).
- 12 Compass point.
- 13 Tough lava.
- 14 Electrical engineer (ab.).
- 15 To the master of.
- 16 Appears.
- 20 Registered nurse (ab.).
- 21 Behold!
- 22 Doctor (ab.).
- 23 Near.
- 24 Per.
- 25 2,000 pounds.
- 27 Arrival (ab.).
- 28 Tim.
- 30 Seed container.
- 31 Donkey.
- 32 Indian army (ab.).
- 33 Palm lily.
- 34 Accomplish.
- 35 Before (prefix).
- 37 Tip.
- 38 Father.
- 39 Inquire.
- 41 That one.
- 42 Postscript (ab.).
- 43 Registered.
- 44 Alternating current (ab.).
- 45 Iridium (symbol).
- 46 Egyptian sun god.
- 48 Also.
- 49 Conical surface.
- 50 Took aim.
- 51 Tavern.
- 52 Chinese.
- 54 Requires.
- 55 Soap.

VERTICAL

- 1 Motor vehicles.
- 2 Anger.
- 3 He is a Cleveland.
- 4 He is a.
- 5 Ball star.
- 6 Late American hummer.
- 7 Proceed.
- 8 What part.
- 9 Annual.
- 10 Print measure.
- 11 Yuhin.
- 12 Dawn (comb. form).
- 13 Editor (ab.).
- 19 Eradicate.
- 20 Right (ab.).
- 21 Measure of area.
- 22 Explet.
- 23 Turn of mind.
- 24 Change.
- 25 Supper (ab.).
- 26 Laughing sound.
- 27 Jumbled type.
- 28 Ill.
- 29 He is a Cleveland.
- 30 Tantalum (symbol).
- 31 Sign of approval.
- 32 He has been refused to.
- 33 For his team.
- 34 Hypothetical force.
- 35 Paid (ab.).
- 36 Like.
- 37 Rock.
- 38 High cards.

(Answer to previous puzzle)

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Mrs. H. Parker, G 5672. Co-worker F. Hurst and co-worker Craigmye will hold a silver tea at their home, 1018 Bay Street, Oct. 11, from 2.30 to 5. Co-worker Watson and co-worker J. Vashe- resse will be hostesses at a card party at Seamen's Institute Oct. 16 at 8.30, proceeds for war relief parcels overseas.

Masonic Ball Set for Oct. 20

Members of Mt. Newton Lodge No. 89, A.F. & A.M., B.C.R., today announced their 23rd annual ball in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Friday, Oct. 20, with Len Acres' orchestra.

The sit-down supper will be catered for by members of Ruth Chapter No. 22, Order of the Eastern Star.

The ball annually draws attendance not only from the Saanich Peninsula and Gulf Islands, but from Victoria and up-island points as well.

School for Wives Glamourizes Apron

CHICAGO (CP)—A course aimed at showing girls that wearing a house apron can be as fascinating as donning a "career girl's" white collar is being introduced this term at Mundelein College, Chicago's skyscraper school for women.

Because the Mundelein faculty believes that too many girls leave college well acquainted with shorthand pothooks but ignorant of pots and pans, the course will tell them how to choose a mate, feed him, manage his household and still remain attractive.

The girls will tangle with financial juggling—will learn how to write cheque stubs, read the fine print in legal papers and buy their wardrobes without putting the family budget in the red. They will be taught meal planning, child care and how to keep the family healthy.

Dean of the college, terms the course "an attempt to organize aspects of religious, cultural, social and economic principles which find their expression in family living."

Social Situations

The situation: You and your husband have been playing bridge with friends all evening, as their only guests, and when you finish your game your hostess mentions serving coffee and sandwiches.

Wrong way: Say, "Oh, we must be running along. Never mind about fixing us anything to eat."

Right way: Seem pleased at your hostess' suggestion. (If she has gone to the trouble to prepare a "snack" for you, it isn't gracious to refuse to eat it.)

P.T.A. Activities

Sir James Douglas—Mothers of the newly-registered pupils and teachers of the school were entertained by the P.T.A. executive at tea in the school auditorium. The guests were received by Mrs. W. M. Scott and her committee, while Mrs. H. G. Woollett, president, welcomed them.

Decorations were arranged by Mrs. A. Martin and her committee. Albert Sullivan will speak on "My Country" at the meeting Oct. 3, at 8, in the school auditorium. Robert Husband will sing. Next sewing meeting for the bazaar will be at the home of Mrs. W. M. Scott, 77 Linden Avenue, Oct. 4, at 2.30.

North Ward—Plans were discussed for a bazaar to be held at the school, Nov. 1 and 2, at the last meeting. Mrs. E. Harris presiding. Plans were also made for a Halloween party for Quadra Primary and North Ward schools. A sewing bee for the bazaar will be held at the home of Mrs. C. W. Morrish, 2607 Fifth Street, Oct. 5.

Victoria Horticultural Society's Chrysanthemum Show, Crystal Garden, Friday and Saturday. ***

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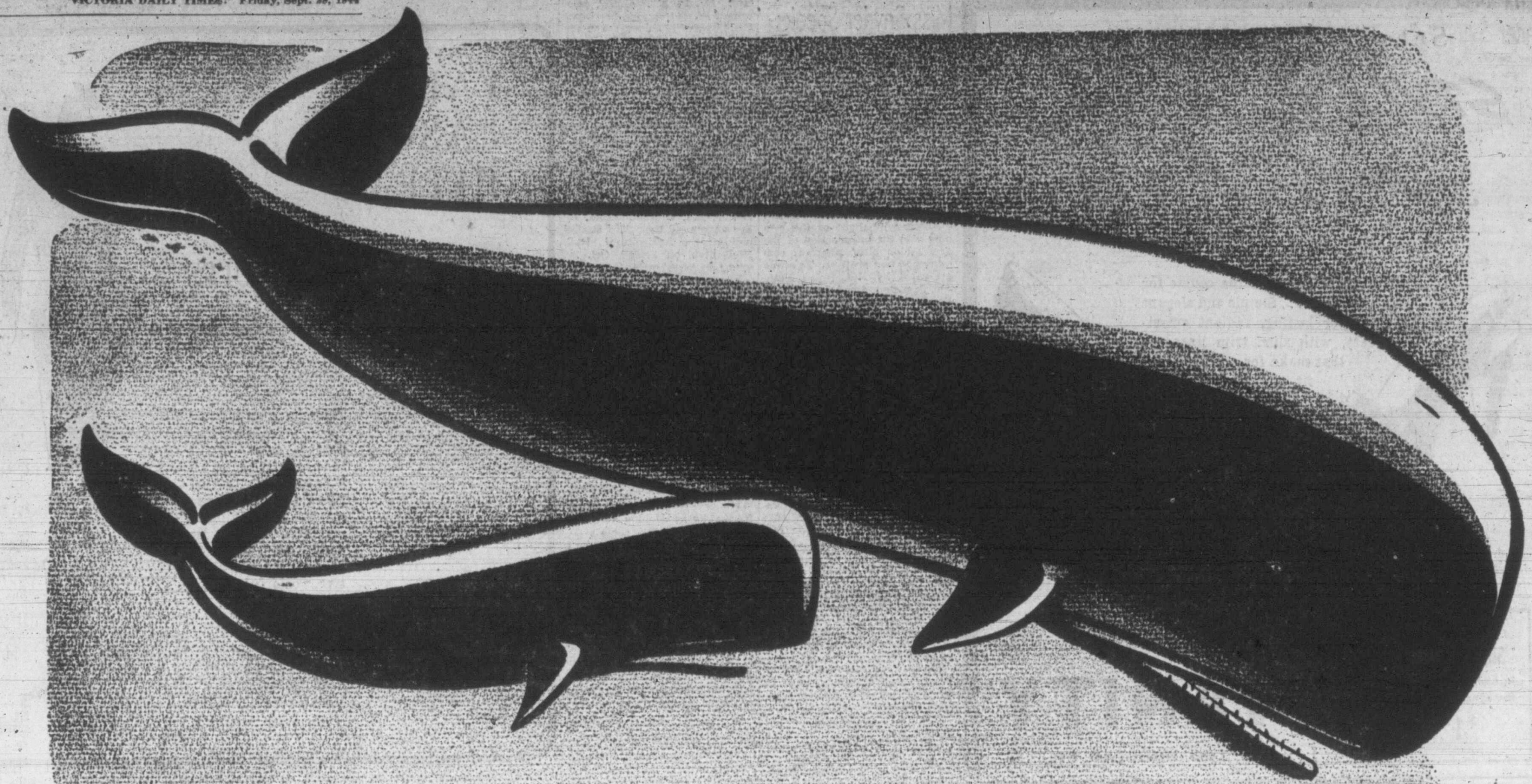
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1910
225,000 People

1. From the layman's point of view, the somewhat spectacular development of British Columbia's Lower Mainland, between 1910 and 1944, is a simple matter of increased population from 225,000 to 605,000, roughly a three-fold increase.

1944
605,000 People

2. But consider the same expansion from the viewpoint of the utility company that has had to plan the supply of hydro-electric power to this same area, without being able to foresee or allow for the requirements of two world wars.



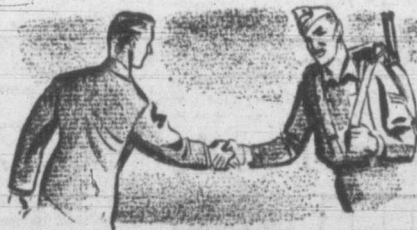
5. Consider also the kind of planning that must be done to meet this increased use of power. Yet courageous development, wise and careful administration, often in the face of public criticism, have enabled this company to satisfy all demands.

1910
65 MILLION KWH

3. A public utility company cannot look at Vancouver and district, merely as an area in which so many people live and work and enjoy a high standard of living—as high as anywhere on earth. The B. C. Electric must think of such an area as the consumer of so many kilowatt hours of electric energy. On this basis, the increase from 1910 to 1944 is not merely interesting, or spectacular. It is fantastic!

1944
780 MILLION KWH

4. In 1910 a mere 65 million kilowatt hours of electrical power were used. The needs of a normal population increase were provided for, plus a generous margin for safety. Yet by 1944 the consumption had rocketed to 780 million K.W.H. — a twelve-times increase. Twenty-five per cent. of that increase has occurred in the last five years, against a population increase in the same period of only five per cent.



6. The wisdom of the company's management in pursuing a policy of expansion well ahead of needs, has been more than justified. The tremendous demands of war production and rapidly rising population have been met. Now we go forward into an era of peace, with plans already well advanced to provide for coming expansion in our industries, increased services in our cities, improved facilities in our homes.

BELIEVING that an informed public is the greatest safeguard of a free people, the B. C. Electric desires to place before the citizens of British Columbia the facts concerning the company's forty-seven years of experience in organizing, developing and administering a hydro-electric utility.

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As every public utility must be, this company has been constantly under the fire of two opposing lines of criticism: "extravagant expenditures" on the one hand and "inadequate service" on the other. Criticism we do not mind; it is a healthy condition. But we desire to present in these announcements the actual facts as written into the records of the company, so that the public may be able to take a more enlightened interest in the great public utility that so vitally affects the lives of all.

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The future development of hydro-electric power in British Columbia is assured. The pioneering, foresight and sound administration of the B. C. Electric Railway Company have provided a foundation upon which the bright future of this province may be safely built.

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Doctor Describes Cancer Symptoms

That cancer strikes stealthily, and during its curable stages, painlessly, was stressed by Dr. William Magnus, Toronto, assistant professor of pathology at the University of Toronto, in his address to the public meeting sponsored by the B.C. Medical Association in the Metropolitan United Church Thursday evening.

He stressed the great importance of catching the dread malignant growth in its early stages if it is to be checked and the patient saved much suffering. There are seven symptoms of early cancer, Dr. Magnus said, that should be carefully noted by every person approaching middle age:

First, any sore on the lips, in the mouth or on the skin which persists for several weeks without evidence of healing, may be cancer.

Second, any irregular bleeding from any of the body passages, or any persistent disturbance of the bowel function may mean cancer of the intestine or the uterus.

Third, loss of appetite associated with nausea and discomfort in the upper abdomen may mean cancer of the stomach.

Fourth, persistent hoarseness may mean cancer of the larynx. Fifth, difficulty in swallowing may mean cancer of the oesophagus or gullet.

Sixth, persistent cough, especially if associated with pain in the chest and blood-stained sputum may mean cancer of the lung. Seventh, any lump in the breast may be cancer.

Dr. Magnus, however, emphasized that while these may mean cancer, fortunately in the great majority of cases they do not, but are due to some more or less trivial condition which can be readily cured. "If, however, such signs and symptoms are not carefully investigated," he said, "many cases of cancer in its early and curable stages will be missed."

He discussed many of the mistaken ideas that the lay public have concerning cancer, and told of discoveries made by medical science regarding its incidence, cause and cure.

For their own protection, he said, people must be warned against cancer "cures" which lack the endorsement of the medical profession, as bitter disappointment and useless expense is the lot of those who place faith in any of these alleged cures.

He thought that the increase in the number of deaths from cancer could be explained by the fact that owing to increased efficiency of public health measures and advances in medical treatment, more people are living to the age at which cancer strikes.

Hereditary influences, particularly in women, do play a part in the incidence of the disease, he said, and any woman who knows of a history of cancer in her family for several generations should

be particularly alert to the signs of possible cancer.

It has also been proven, Dr. Magnus said, that cancer can be produced in humans by chemical substances. They will produce cancer if applied to the skin and produce a malignant tumor of another type if injected under the skin. In man, he said, such cancers may be produced by coal-tar, lubricating oil, paraffins or soot. Exposure to aniline, as in dye-works employees, may produce cancer of the bladder.

He said that the latest theories about the causes of cancer indicate that the different types in the different organs of the body probably have different causes. The weight of evidence, now, he informed the audience, is against a microbe or virus origin of malignant growths in human beings, however.

In conclusion, he stated, "the chances of curing cancer are good, often very good, if the patient is treated while the growth is small and strictly localized."

Favor Principle Of Health Insurance

Canadian doctors have gone on record as subscribing to the principle of health insurance, Dr. Harris McPhedran, president of the Canadian Medical Association, told an audience of 600 at the public meeting in Metropolitan United Church, Thursday evening, sponsored by the British Columbia Medical Association.

However, Dr. McPhedran insisted that any health insurance plan should secure the development and provision of the highest standards of health services, both preventive and curative, and should also be fair to those receiving and those rendering the services.

He made it clear that the medical profession, however, is opposed to what he termed a "state-controlled and salaried service, which is state medicine," because "such a system will not attract a sufficient number of the best of our young men and women to enter upon the study of medicine."

Dr. McPhedran also stated that "it is not in the public interest that the state invade the professional aspect of the patient-doctor relationship, which includes free choice of patient by doctor, and doctor by patient, and the maintenance of the confidential nature of medical practice."

He also expressed the opinion that "neither the public nor the medical profession will submit to the irritating regimentation, red tape and bureaucratic control inevitable and unavoidable in such a system."

In returning to his discussion of health insurance, Dr. McPhedran pointed out that the health of the people depends upon environmental conditions, upon security against fear and want, etc., and that the improvement and extension of measures to satisfy these needs should precede or accompany any future organization of medical service.

Speaking of the financing of the health insurance scheme, he said that the doctors felt it should be on a contributory basis and that they were opposed to moneys being taken from consolidated funds to completely finance health insurance, in the belief that a personal interest will be created in a scheme in which each insured person has made a definite financial contribution.

He stated quite definitely that the medical profession did not wish to have majority control of the commission that will administer health insurance, but that, on the other hand, it will not submit to majority control by any other group.

He expressed opposition to the implementing of health insurance before demobilization of the doctors now in the armed services, and their re-establishment in civilian practices. He pointed out that there are now 3,589 doctors in the armed services, leaving only 8,041 to carry on civilian practice, and that under these circumstances these older doctors could not give the necessary additional services that health insurance would demand.

Dr. F. A. C. Cousland, retiring president of the Medical Association, was chairman of the meeting.

1,027,995 London Houses Wrecked Or Damaged

LONDON (AP)—The list of London's bomb damage as given Thursday in the House of Commons:

Houses damaged beyond repair, 25,511.

Houses seriously damaged and not habitable, 52,277.

Houses, damaging, but habitable, 77,030.

Houses slightly damaged, 873,177.

Total, 1,027,995.

Twin kangaroos, the first of which any record is available, were born recently at the Philadelphia Zoo; the mother is caring for one in her pouch, the other is being bottle-fed with cow's milk.

B.C. Doctors Ask Government Sponsor Industrial Medicine

Dr. J. D. Millar, chairman of the committee on industrial medicine, announced to Thursday afternoon's meeting of the committee at the B.C. Medical Association convention in the Empress Hotel that he would interview the minister today about the advisability of setting up a special department of government on industrial medicine. He expressed confidence that some department or commission to administer this field of medicine that is growing in importance would be set up in the near future.

He told of the work that has been done in the field of industrial medicine in British Columbia to date under war conditions when doctors, under the Dominion government, take care of the health of workers in war plants.

Dr. W. G. Saunders, Vancouver, in charge of the administration of industrial medicine there, gave a detailed resume of work in the shipyards during the past 12 months. There is a staff of seven doctors and 10 nurses caring for approximately 30,000 workers on the job, he said. This treatment only includes examinations, detection of occupational diseases, inspection of sanitation facilities, and first aid. It does not include treatment for any conditions found, which remain the responsibility of the family doctor, he said. Similar arrangements prevail in the Victoria shipyards, he revealed.

On the average, each doctor handles 25 cases daily, he said,

which gives little time for inspection work. Because of occupational diseases, he declared, 2,583 working days have been lost, or 12 days per 100 workers, whereas, during the same period accidents have caused a loss of time of nine man days per workman. There were 130,000 accidents in Vancouver shipyards in the 12-month period, he said, although the majority of them were minor.

Dr. G. F. Kincaid of Vancouver spoke on tuberculosis and how its early detection is important in industrial medicine. He gave a detailed talk on tuberculosis prevention work in B.C.

Dr. M. Basted of Trail, and Maj. J. McKenty of Winnipeg also spoke during the discussion.

The committee on emergent epidemics, under the chairmanship of Dr. G. O. Matthews, new president of the association, held a brief session Thursday afternoon.

Conference Tuesday On Amalgamation

Discussions on the amalgamation of Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Victoria into a Greater Victoria area will continue at a meeting at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon in Mayor Andrew McGavin's office, he announced today.

Meeting with the mayor will be Reeve W. L. Woodhouse of Oak Bay, Reeve T. Hadfield of Esquimalt and E. W. Ismay, auditor for the three municipalities.

Negotiations have reached a point where the three municipal heads are ready to consider appointment of a commissioner to review the problems of amalgamation to be presented before taking the issue to the electors.

Says Bigots Menace To Public Health

Over 200,000 laboratory tests are made annually in the provincial laboratories, which are housed in quarters unsuitable and unhealthy, declared Dr. C. E. Dolman, head of the department of bacteriology and preventive medicine, University of B.C., and director of provincial laboratories, in a public address at Metropolitan United Church Thursday evening. The meeting was sponsored by the British Columbia Medical Association, and chaired by Dr. P. A. C. Cousland, retiring president of the organization.

Dr. Dolman's subject was "Newer Ideas of the Health Program," and he pointed out the great advances that have been made in the health field during the past half century, often fighting the bigotry and ignorance of the very people who benefit most from the health program.

He stated that the medical profession is anxious to train practitioners because there are not enough qualified practitioners today to perform the medical duties that are now necessary. "At least one more medical school is needed in Canada," Dr. Dolman declared. "Why should it not be in British Columbia, which would be of a great advantage not only to this province but to the entire nation?"

He pointed out to his audience that they as members of the public were responsible to ensure that all public health measures such as sanitation, safe water and milk supplies, town planning,

good nutrition, etc., were undertaken and that they should not allow bigots and ignorant men, through the press or politics, to mislead them.

If society is to progress and allow life to be as it is meant to be, "long and healthy," Dr. Dolman contended that we must never again adulterate and honor the warrior who destroys life, while ignoring the doctor who saves it.

He related in some detail many of the advances that have been made in medical science over the past 50 years, raising life expectancy at birth from 35 years to 65 years.

Premier Hart Tours Kootenay District

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—Premier John Hart outlined the accomplishments of British Columbia's coalition government during the past three years to a meeting of some 350 Trail Board of Trade members and their guests and pledged his administration to a business-like conduct of public affairs in the future.

Mr. Hart, accompanied by his secretary, Percy Richards, is on tour of the Kootenays. He left here today for Creston.

Emphasizing the accomplishments of the coalition government had been made possible by the combined work and planning of the whole cabinet, Mr. Hart briefly reviewed social and labor legislation, outlined the hydro-electric survey and the Industrial Research Council and gave a report on the financial position of the province.

Mr. Hart pointed out that since

To Belmont Church



Rev. H. W. Kerley, who has joined the chaplaincy service.

During his years at Metropolitan, Dr. Holling had charge of Belmont Church Branch Sunday school, which has since been raised to a separate congregation.

Dr. Holling began his ministry at Belmont last Sunday and this Sunday will conduct a world communion service in the morning and will preach in the evening. He has already taken up residence at the manse.

While residing in Vancouver, Dr. Holling supplied various pulpits and during the past summer was minister at Collingwood United. He received an honorary D.D. from Queen's University, Toronto, and started his ministry in Manitoba. The General Conference of the Methodist Church was held at Metropolitan in Victoria in 1910 during his ministry here. Dr. Holling recalled today that Willows and Hampshire Road churches started during the years he was in Victoria. He was a member of the hymnary committee of the Methodist Church and later of the United Church of Canada.

Mrs. T. Hardy will be soloist at the Sunday service at Belmont.

First anthem to be written by Richard S. Eaton, L.Lus., Mus.B. (McGill), Victoria organist, will be sung Sunday morning at the Metropolitan United Church.

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Good Cohoe Catches Reported At Cowichan

Coho fishing at Cowichan Bay is approaching its peak as fine daily catches are reported. Few spring salmon are still being taken, although the big fellows have just about finished their run for this season.

Popularity of the bay as a fishing resort is shown by the fact that all boathouse owners report a landslide business in boat renting. Majority of the small powerboats are booked up for days in

advance and rowboats are even at a premium over the week-ends. On Sundays around 200 boats are a familiar sight on the waters from Separation Point to the C.N.R. wharf.

Catches for the last two days as reported by the Buena Vista Hotel follow: Wednesday—Boats, 73; coho, 120; springs, 5; jacks, 6; largest fish caught, 20 pounds; Thursday—boats, 88; coho, 94; springs, 7; jacks, 8; largest fish caught, 16 pounds.

Soccer Opens Tomorrow

Nanaimo Eleven Here

Outdoor winter sport will make its debut to Victorians tomorrow afternoon at Athletic Park, when the opening soccer match of the 1944-45 season is staged. Starting at 3, a Victoria all-star eleven will engage Nanaimo Columbus Club, with Joe Obee as referee.

Local players have been working out for the last three weeks, and the boys will be in fair trim for their first engagement. Majority of the Victoria team are members of the Victoria Machinery Depot Club, with odd players selected from the Victoria West and Army teams.

In goal for Victoria will be the veteran Louis DeCosta. Rated one of the finest net custodians developed in these parts, DeCosta is making a comeback this season with the V.M.D. Available for fullback and halfback positions will be George Leggett, Bar-

ney Barnswell, the three Robbins brothers, Joe, Glen and Cliff, and Gordie Perkins. The Victoria forward line should pack plenty of scoring punch, with the following men ready for duty: Gordie Bell, Alvin Parks, George Payne, Tony Conti, Harry Holness, Joe Travis, Scotty Robinson and Alan Reside.

In charge of the Nanaimo club will be Johnny Sandland, who will field an eleven composed of veterans and youngsters. Old-timers with the up-landers will be such familiar soccer performers as Orville Boyd, Shadow Watson and Sandy Thompson. Other well-known members will be Freddy Mills, Art Denton, Johnny Peppers and Frank English.

During the course of the season it is expected that the Nanaimo club will play several matches here, while the Victoria all-stars will travel north for games at the coal city.

Joe Thwaites, Noted English Jockey, Retires

By ALLAN NICKLESON

LONDON (CP) — For 38 years jockey Joe Thwaites has been riding the turf of England on some of the nation's best blood stock. Now, at 53, the iron man of racing has decided to retire in favor of a new career. He wants to be a trainer.

As a jockey, Joe didn't rank with the best, such as Steve Donoghue, but up north they will remember him as long as they remember John Peel.

Joe, like John Peel before him, was a huntsman. One bitter day in the fall of 1929 he rose before dawn and while the mist lay on the hills went hunting with the

Staintondale hounds. Later in the day he motored to his native Stockton-on-Tees and rode the winner of the first race. Then he raced down to Middlesbrough for a football match he "wouldn't miss for a world."

From there he dashed off to Scarborough and played for the local team in a hockey match against Hull. The game ended in near darkness, but Joe, whose stamina is a legend in the north, hadn't yet rounded off the day. Before retiring he engaged in a series of billiard games.

The year previous to Ayr his mount, Oh, Lummy, fell on him during a race. Joe wanted to ride in the next race, but was persuaded not to, because of serious injuries. At Stockton, in 1931, Joe was kicked when his horse was in a collision with three others. He remounted, finished the course, and rode in two more races that day, all the while bleeding profusely.

JUST COURAGE

A specialist who was asked to examine him after the collision said "What, is he still alive?" At the height of his career he was first jockey to Lord Glanely. But it wasn't the winners he rode, but the way he rode horses that made him a favorite of turf followers. He had a rare pair of hands, could get the best from a horse without using a whip, and would ease up rather than push a willing mount beyond its capacity.

Mr. Maurice Joseph Turnbull played and died for Britain. The Welsh international cricketer, rugby and hockey player, and England cricket test selector, was killed in action in Normandy. He was 38.

Native of Cardiff, Wales, Turnbull had been captain of the Glamorgan County cricket club since 1930, and scored at least 1,000 runs each season. Son of a Welsh hockey international, he won his cricket Blue at Cambridge, and appeared in nine test matches for England.

PHIL PALMER WINS

HIGHLAND PARK, N.J. (CP) — Phil Palmer of Vancouver, B.C., won a technical knockout over Lee Black, New York, when Black failed to answer the bell for the third round of a scheduled six-round boxing bout here Thursday night. Palmer weighed 140, Black 145.

Toronto Fans Protest Grimes Dismissal

By A. E. FULFORD

TORONTO (CP) — The baseball season should have ended in Toronto when Leafs were knocked out of the playoffs by Newark Bears, but no one would blame president Pete Campbell if he thought the battle was only starting.

The diminutive Campbell, president for two seasons, and now believed to be principal owner of the Leafs, is being bombarded by fans who think he ruined the club when he fired manager Burt Grimes and Red Kress, coach, utility player, and most popular man on the team.

The fans have been waiting for weeks for the full story of the clash between Campbell and

Grimes, and now that they have it a good proportion have decided Campbell went out on a limb when he fired Grimes, who made a hustling ball club out of a flock of mediocre players and brought them into the playoffs for two years.

It was developed that Campbell has been in control of the club since August, when he bought out interest of Percy Gardiner, Toronto financier. He and Grimes have been at odds for some time, but Campbell waited until the playoff stage before he handed Burtleigh his walking papers.

Campbell, it seems, had not only been fed up on Grimes, but on an organization known as the Boosters, some of whom at-

tempted to run the club. The Boosters disappeared in a Campbell purge some time before the axe fell on Grimes.

GRID ROUND-UP

When Annis Stukus drove navy bulldogs to a 22 to 6 victory over Camp Borden Hurricanes last Saturday, he emphasized the Toronto Star sports department's contribution to navy sports life in Toronto. Stuke is one of several sports writers on the Toronto daily who have chosen the navy for their service.

Ed Pitkin of the Star, and Hal Walker of the Globe, are running the H.M.C.S. York Bulldog, the station newspaper, and Pitkin took time out from reporting the game

Saturday to superintend the love-lies who lead the Navy cheering section.

Other Toronto sports writers who are in the navy are Gord Walker, Star, and Scott Young, Canadian Press, now overseas, and Alan Harvey, CP, struggling with Morse at St. Hyacinthe, Que., training station.

It was nice to discover that the Capt. Keith Sanders who recently won the M.C., is none other than "Peanuts" Saunders, well known as an athlete around Ottawa. "Peanuts" pardon, Capt. Saunders—played snap for Ottawa Roughriders until a broken shoulder, put him out of action, and was prominent as a skier and oarsman at the capital.

Sports Mirror

By ART STOTT

AT THIS POINT in negotiations, with Barney Olson back in the picture, the question of erecting an arena here has again raised the issue of private or municipal ownership.

The Olson proposition, to many aldermen, looks like a bird in the hand worth more than two in the bush. All City Council members want to see a rink built. But some of them do not favor the project as a civic undertaking, except as a last resort. To many of them the prospect of continued municipal operation of an arena looks too much like an invitation to future headaches.

The facts, as they appear at present, are these: Olson has reaffirmed his original proposal to build a \$125,000 fireproof arena if the city gives him tax concessions and 20 years' free water. There is an implication he would also want a downtown site, probably the never-used hole on Douglas Street north of the Fountain, at a nominal figure.

The citizens' arena committee, which offered to provide a sum of \$65,000 to match a like amount put up by the city and to assist in floating a loan for any other required amount, is waiting to meet the council. That session is due on Wednesday. While the suggestion is speculative, some members of the council will most probably ask point blank if the committee has raised the \$65,000. Again the suggestion is speculative, but the probable answer will be the committee has not raised that sum, but can raise it.

UNDOUBTEDLY there will be some discussion on the merits of public ownership. That will face the difficult question of benefits. Some members of the council hold the belief the city would, under civic ownership, be erecting another building of community value without the assistance of adjoining municipalities, whose citizens would use the plant. If it were possible to prove a continuous profit from future municipal operation of an arena, that point could be met very easily. Unfortunately there can be no definite indication of returns exceeding expenditure.

Much will depend on the recommendation the finance committee brings to the meeting from its Monday session with Mr. Olson. As Ald. T. W. Hawkins indicated last Wednesday, a businessman seeking concessions from the city asks for everything he can conceive. Mr. Olson appears to have done that. There may be some give and take in committee negotiations. At all events, aldermen have been weighing the value of the concessions that are sought.

That throws the matter of site into sharp relief. If private interests want valuable downtown property, there will be some opposition. If, however, they would be content with city-owned land which is not particularly marketable, the cost to the city would, in effect, be negligible. The water issue need not be a major hurdle. There are technicalities to be overcome, but they can be surmounted, either in a deal with private interests or through a civic ownership scheme.

A municipally-owned plant would be strictly a city baby. And the City Council, preponderantly male, has no great maternal instinct.

VICTORIA, seed ground of some of Canada's finest rugby players, faces an approaching season without senior competition in the English code game. Unless the Victoria Rugby Union can bring out a civilian team, there will be no first division league.

The problem is a source of considerable worry to the rugby officials. The city has a high tradition to maintain in that sport. It has the provincial championship trophy, the McKeechle Cup, to defend, and it has a game to keep alive during difficult war years if it is to avoid the disintegration which will inevitably follow abandonment of the senior league.

Like any other sport, rugby has lost a lot of the young men who kept it going at high pitch here for years. They are with the forces. Younger brothers, in many cases, have not matured sufficiently to take their place. But officials feel there must be sufficient non-service material around to fill out a team. Any who wish to play are asked to communicate with Campbell Forbes without delay for organization prior to the season opening.

Percy Williams Civilian Pilot

WINNIPEG (CP) — Percy Williams of Vancouver, winner of the 100 and 200 metres for Canada at the 1928 Olympic Games at Amsterdam, is a civilian pilot at No. 5 Air Observers School here.

Discussing the future of track and field in Canada Thursday he said the sport would not flourish until the public in general supported it, and "that means construction of indoor tracks."

Puck Star Killed

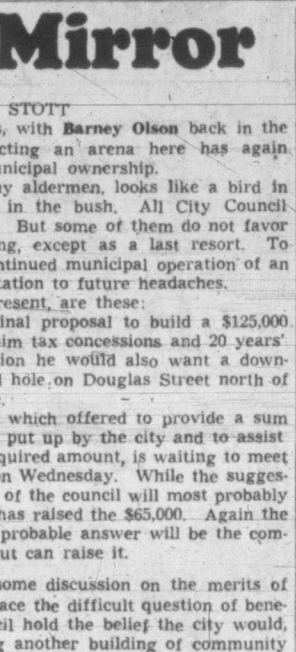
CALGARY (CP) — One of western Canada's best-known hockey stars, Jimmy McNamara, 31, Calgary, has been killed in action in Italy, his wife has been informed.

Mrs. McNamara has received no details of the action in which her husband was killed.

In senior ranks he played for Drumheller four winters, and then came to Calgary about nine years ago, guarding nets for the Rangers three winters. Jimmy was credited with being mainly responsible or their victory in the Alberta championship in 1937-38.

Later he was understudy to Lieut. Art Rice-Jones, goalkeeper of the Stampede, now in a Canadian hospital in England recovering from wounds received in Normandy.

NEW YORK (AP) — The army said Thursday that Capt. Joseph Gould, identified by army public relations as manager of James J. Braddock when he was heavy weight boxing champion, was under arrest charged with having conspired to influence the award of contracts involving more than \$1,000,000 worth of army equipment.



ANOTHER BELT—Aviation Chief Metalsmith Peter Robertson instructs Sgt. Joe Louis in use of lifelift during heavyweight boxing champion's visit to United States navy base in North Africa, where he is appearing in exhibitions.

World Series Gossip

Tigers Have Hurling

By JOE REICHLER

NEW YORK (AP) — Going along with the old adage that "pitching is 75 per cent of baseball," we give you Detroit Tigers to win the 1944 World Series, provided, of course, they wind up as winners of the most hectic race the American League has seen in 36 years.

It's been almost a quarter of a century since two pitchers of one club have won as many games in one season as have the Tigers' twin aces, Hurricane Harold Newhouser and Paul (Dizzy) Trout. Between them, they have won 55 games, the same total as Jim Bagby and Stan Coveleskie of the 1920 Cleveland Indians, who went League's Brooklyn Dodgers for on to defeat the National World Series championship.

On the other hand, should St. Louis Browns capture the flag, the edge goes to the Cardinals for the same reason—superior pitching backed up by an all-around attack and a fine defence.

Newhouser and Trout rate as the best two pitchers in baseball, based on this year's performance, and a seven-game series is made

to order for them. Either figures better than an even bet against any hurler skipper Billy Southworth nominates for the Cardinals.

COOPER TOUGH

Mort Cooper, the Cards' ace and most likely series opener, should be tough to beat, despite his lack of success against the American League in previous years. However, both Ted Wilks, Cards' rookie sensation of the year, and southpaw Harry Brecheen are question marks. Both have been impressive all year. Wilks with a 17-3 record and Brecheen 16-3.

Max Lanier, the last of the Cards' big four, may not be available for the series. He has returned to St. Louis for treatment of his injured shoulder.

The Cards have the best infield, outfield and catching, on paper, but the Tigers pack plenty of punch in Dick Wakefield, Rudy York, slugging first sacker, who has driven in 95 runs with the aid of 17 homers, and reliable Pinky Higgins, climaxing his gallant comeback with a .300 average.

Coast Gridder Star In Manitoba Opener

WINNIPEG (CP) — No. 3 Wire-Jess School Bombers of Winnipeg defeated No. 3 Bombing and Gunnery School Mustangs of Macdonald, Man., 15-0 here Wednesday night in the opening game of the Manitoba Armed Services Senior Football League. More than 1,000 fans attended the game which was played during rain.

LAC, Harry Winters, formerly with Vancouver Meralomas, starred for the winners. He registered touchdowns in the first and fourth quarters.

The other touchdown was scored by LAC, Paul Platz, former professional hockey player with Chicago Black Hawks, in the first quarter.

The winners, fielding several members of the 1943 Winnipeg R.C.A.F. Bombers, held superiority on the ground and in the air.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	86	44	.682
St. Louis	81	49	.620
New York	80	50	.613
Boston	75	55	.569
Cleveland	72	58	.554
Chicago	65	65	.500
Philadelphia	62	68	.476
Washington	62	68	.476

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	102	44	.692
Pittsburgh	86	51	.625
Cincinnati	86	51	.625
Boston	74	63	.539
New York	65	72	.472
Baltimore	62	75	.448
Brooklyn	62	75	.448
Philadelphia	55	82	.400

Flowers, Fruits and Vegetables—Victoria Horticultural Society's Show, Crystal Garden, Friday and Saturday.

Washouts Definite Help to Detroit

If it pours rain until Sunday night, Detroit-Tigers could still home by the fire and plan their world series strategy while the St. Louis Browns, one game back, and the New York Yankees, three lengths out, rued lost opportunities.

All clubs are scheduled for doubleheaders after yesterday's complete washout but even another day of heavy dew wouldn't wash any games off the calendar for keeps. The same teams play one another the rest of the season four games and could make them up with twins both Saturday and Sunday.

Steve O'Neill probably welcomed the downpour like a share cropper in a drought as it gave him time to rest his weary pitching staff. No extra delay came to Dizzy Trout, or Hal Newhouser because Trout was still slated to work one tilt today.

Both Luke Sewell and Joe McCarthy had their hurling departments in order for their final crucial series, Nels Potter, ace of the staff with five victories in a row and 13 for the year, was primed to team up with Jack Kramer for the Browns.

McCarthy Called It, With a Difference

By HUGH FULLERTON JR. NEW YORK (AP) — Maybe the American League pennant race isn't exactly what Joe McCarthy was thinking about when he said that final Yankees-Browns series would settle the struggle, but it seems that Joe really called it right.

The way heavyweight Lee Oma explains that knockout by Tami Mauriello last week is "I ran out of gas. Tex Sullivan (Lee's manager) forgot to bring those coupons."

The American Basketball League received bids for franchises from seven new cities at a recent meeting.

Heavyweight Joe Baksi and his wife have a double date to have their tonsils removed today.

Ray Colonel, Holy Cross footballer, and his father can't become colonels in spite of their name. Ray Jr. is a navy trainee and Ray Sr. is a lieutenant in the New York City fire department.

Announcing that the "Mighty" Menichelli had begun road work at Madame Bey's Camp, where several champions have drilled, Jimmy Johnston remarked: "If there's any inspiration in that, it may be inculcated into his mind by way of his feet."

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Runs—Stirnweiss, New York, 124.
Runs batted in—Stephens, St. Louis, 103.
Hits—Stirnweiss, New York, 200.
Doubles—Boudreau, Cleveland, 42.
Triples—Stirnweiss and Lindell, New York, 16.
Home runs—Etten, New York, 22.
Stolen bases—Stirnweiss, New York, 54.
Pitching—Newhouser, Detroit, 28.9.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Batting—Walker, Brooklyn, .362.
Runs—Nicholson, Chicago, 116.
Runs batted in—Nicholson, Chicago, 117.
Hits—Cavarretta, Chicago, 195.
Doubles—Musil, St. Louis, 50.
Triples—Barrett, Pittsburgh, 19.
Home runs—Nicholson, Chicago, 33.
Stolen bases—Bayreth, Pittsburgh, 27.
Pitching—Wilks, St. Louis, 17.3.

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H. F. Bishop, 87, In City 74 Years, Wed 65 Years, Dies



Harry F. Bishop, 87, Victoria postmaster from 1914 to 1928, widely known and respected citizen of Victoria for 74 years, died Thursday at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Born at Portsmouth, England, Mr. Bishop came to Victoria with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Bishop, in 1870. They sailed from Southampton on Ss. Shannon, three days before the Franco-Prussian War broke out and arrived at Esquimalt, via the Isthmus of Panama and San Francisco in September, 1870.

In 1879, at New Westminster, Mr. Bishop was married to Jane Clyde, native of Huntingdon, Que., and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Clyde. They came to Victoria immediately and made their home here ever since. In 1939 they celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary, being widely honored by a large family and many Victoria organizations in which the couple had taken much interest. Mrs. Bishop survives her husband.

Before he joined the Dominion's postal service Mr. Bishop was with the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company and later the C.P.R. as shoreside agent and ship's purser, traveling up and down the coast. He had been to Alaska and the Yukon and knew this part of the world thoroughly.

For a time he was interested in civic affairs and served as alderman, school trustee and police commissioner. After leaving the postmaster's position he was

for a time representative here of the Canadian government annuity department. For years Mr. and Mrs. Bishop had been faithful members of the Baptist Church congregation. For many years they had lived at 1122 Greenwood Avenue, Esquimalt.

Tourist Group Talks Of Pitch and Putt

A pitch and putt golf course for Beacon Hill Park, and shuffle board, volleyball, tennis courts and checker squares in parks throughout the city, to provide greater recreational facilities for tourists, were discussed by members of the Tourist Trade group, of the Chamber of Commerce, at a meeting Thursday afternoon.

Exploring possibilities of tourists staying longer in Victoria than they do, was the purpose of the discussion, and letters will be sent to the City Council pointing out suggestions made at the meeting for greater tourist attraction.

E. W. McMullen moved that the City Council be written on the question of a pitch-and-putt in Beacon Hill, possibly on the north side of the hill, to be under the Victoria Parks Board, and similar to the course in Stanley Park at Vancouver.

The group endorsed the putting up of Victoria's hanging baskets for next year. J. E. Neely, chairman, stated that when the baskets were not up tourists inquired after them. Lighting in stores at night was discussed, and a letter will be sent to the City Council asking them to consider the question of better lighting.

A motion was passed that a letter be sent to the Publicity Bureau asking for a "more comprehensive" map of the city for the use of tourists, pointing out the main streets and main tourist attractions. W. O. Wallace of the Saanich Board of Trade told the meeting that extension of Marine Drive was needed to keep tourists in and around Victoria, and said such an extension would be linked up with the great tourist attraction of Butchart's Gardens.

A committee, composed of Frank Paulding, chairman, and Alderman G. H. Worthington and W. O. Ross, was appointed to meet Maj. L. Bullock-Webster on the question of a proposed international drama festival. Maj. Bullock-Webster wrote the group of a plan for such a festival, on which he said the B.C. Drama Association had been working for two years.

Discussing the arena question briefly, the group said the arena should be made available as soon as possible, and a member will be appointed to attend the next meeting on the arena.

Reminds Veterans Of Power to Govern

When the war is over, veterans of this and the last war will wield terrific power in Canada, Lt. Col. Brooke Stephenson, O.C. 3rd Bn. (R), C.S.R., told members of the 114th company, Veterans' Guard of Canada, meeting in Terry's Thursday for their fourth annual banquet.

"Let us not misuse this power," he said. "The boys coming back will need our help and our guidance. Let us be prepared; let us help them and give them good, sound advice."

"It is a serious matter, and we will have problems to face in this country not for the next five years, but for the next 20 years. We have the experience of the last war and that of civilian life after. Use that experience in proper influence over the government of this country."

There would be much to learn, he said, and when the war was over, there would be many people who had not suffered at all. In fact, he said, "people in this country haven't suffered enough."

"We in this Dominion have a lot to be thankful for," he continued. "We have not been subjected to the same trials or horrors as have the people in the United Kingdom."

Like many others, he did not want to see riotous and drunken behavior at the advent of V-Day. "We are not all religious," he said, "but we do realize there is some great power protecting this part of the world. Let us get down on our knees on V-Day and thank God for what we have been given and have been spared."

J. R. McIlree, D.S.O., O.C. of the veterans, gave a toast to the British 1st Airborne Division, the "Red Devils" of Arnhem. Of their gallant fight he said, "I think it will go down in history as one of the most outstanding examples of sheer guts on record."

The opening of the banquet was marked with a two-minute silence for fallen comrades.

Sgt. Maj. Leslie Scott presided over the meeting and introduced many well known to the veterans, including Maj. George Yardley, who was first officer commanding the company, and Maj. James Dewar, also a one-time O.C. of the 114th.

Others introduced were Maj. A. McFarlane, rehabilitation officer for Victoria; Capt. J. Scott,

CQMS. W. C. Hudson, president of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, and T. R. Randall, president of the Pro Patria Branch.

THIS WAR—FOUR YEARS AGO
Sept. 29, 1940 — Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax demanded explanation from Romanian authorities of reports that four Britons and a Canadian—Capt. John Treach of Chatham, Ont.—were being held in a Bucharest jail; Romanians charged prisoners with oil sabotage.

Lions Entertain Visiting Officials

Geo. T. (Kelly) Hagen, District Governor, Eatonville, Wash., and Ed. A. Simmons, Deputy District Governor, Vancouver, were entertained by the Victoria Lions Club at a luncheon meeting held in Spencer's, Thursday.

Mr. Hagen addressed the club on Lionism, holding out its principles as being made practical by the actions and words of the

Lions. Lionism practiced was practical Christianity, he said, and reminded the club that all good deeds performed eventually came back to their author.

In an early part of the meeting, the club held a mock trial, charging Mr. Simmons, a mortician, with impersonating a mortician. On a table, nearby, was displayed a store-window dummy, laid out to look like a corpse, which Mr. Simmons was charged with having practiced on. Found "guilty," the Vancouver mortician was fined 10 cents.

Lion Leo Evenden appealed to

those Lions who lived in Oak Bay municipality to lend their support to the Community Centre there.

Provincial field day, during which civil defence teams will compete, will be held at the Armories, Ngy. 5. A series of elimination contests will be held here and in Vancouver before the field day.

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An open discussion on the need for a new auditorium and arena was held following the luncheon, and members felt that householders would have confidence in a plan as suggested, and handled by the Rotary Club.

The meeting closed with a resolution that a committee be named to consider the question and report at an early date.

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NOTE CORRECTION—Night school secretary's telephone number is Empire 2411, not as given in the syllabus.

To Defend Mother At Murder Hearing

Stuart Henderson, veteran counsel in half a hundred murder cases, announced today he would defend the murder charge against Mrs. Edith May Cruickshank in the drowning-death last Monday of her seven-year-old daughter, Patricia Margaret.

Mr. Henderson said if City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison were ready to proceed with the preliminary hearing Tuesday morning in city court he would not ask for an adjournment. In speaking to a case today in city court Mr. Harrison said he wished to keep Tuesday's court sitting open because the murder hearing might proceed although he was not yet certain.

Mrs. Cruickshank was charged late Monday afternoon by Detectives Henry F. Jarvis and Louis Callon. At an inquest Thursday a coroner's jury returned a verdict of found drowned in the probe of the child's death in the water off Dallas Road near the foot of Howe Street.

Complaints of prowlers around their houses were lodged with city police today and Thursday by Mrs. E. T. Fisher, 1606 Belcher, and Mrs. D. Goodman, 261 Superior.

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Vegetable section is outstanding and in keeping with these days of victory gardens. Practically every variety of vegetable from the home gardens of Greater Victoria is on competitive display.

Alex Mitchell of the Parliament Buildings' gardening staff is showing 25 pounds of Sequoia potatoes from one root. Boys and girls of Fairbridge Farm School in the Cowichan Valley brought down a fine selection for competition. Geo. Nunn of Sidney, in addition to showing roses, for which he is famous, had on display some weird and wonderful lemon and snake cucumbers.

The size of the vegetables is astonishing. Some of the onions weigh more than a pound; one celery stalk weighs four pounds.

Stomach Disorders Major Problem Of Armed Services

The Canadian Navy retains in its service a much larger proportion of its personnel afflicted with peptic ulcer than have most other armed forces. Surg. Cmdr. J. W. MacLeod, R.C.N.V.R., consultant in medicine, Halifax, told the British Columbia Medical Association this morning at the concluding day of the four-day convention in the Empress Hotel.

Cmdr. MacLeod was speaking on "Gastroenterological Problems of the Canadian Navy" and he limited the greater part of his talk to a discussion of ulcers, their occurrence among navy men, the causes, the treatment, and the disposal of the men after treatment.

He said there had been some criticism of the navy policy of retaining men suffering from ulcer in the service, as being "unnecessarily inefficient and wasteful, especially from the standpoint of postwar pension costs."

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However, he pointed out that

He gave a number of statistics of experiences in the navy hospital at Halifax, and said that 45 per cent of the men suffering from stomach ulcers were invalided out of the service, the remaining 55 per cent being retained for the most part in protected jobs ashore.

Cmdr. MacLeod did not think that malingering among the men, or neurosis was responsible for a very high percentage of stomach disorders among navy men. "Full-blown psychoneurotics were rare, compared with their high incidence in the cases of purely functional gastro-intestinal disturbances that succeeded in gaining admission to hospital," he said, and told of careful psychiatric studies that were made in a number of cases.

He did not feel that the very natural desire on the part of a man to get out of a day or two's duty when weather was bad by complaining of stomach trouble could be classed as "malingering" unless it became so constant as to show a definite desire on the part of the man to evade duty and obtain his discharge from the navy.

The medical conference concludes this evening with a dinner which will be attended by Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward and Hon. George S. Pearson, provincial secretary and minister of labor.

Joseph Nelson, who collapsed in the Aristocrat Cafe Thursday afternoon, was removed to Royal Jubilee Hospital by city police and later taken to his home on Humboldt Street.

M. Wilkinson, skipper of the Nancy Lee, told city police Thursday his 10 foot green and grey clinker-built rowboat had been stolen since Sunday from near the V.M.D. No. 1 yard. Theft of a typewriter from 429 Lamson was reported by Esquimalt police. Miss S. Binlay, 1740 Emerson, said the license plate had been stolen from her car.

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Community Chest Drive to Continue

A community that can spend \$1,000,000 "betting at the races" should be able to donate less than 10 per cent of this for social welfare in the community, Frank Paulding, campaign director of the Community Chest, said this morning, as he announced that the campaign for several days in order to raise the quota.

The campaign is lagging badly, Mr. Paulding stated, and urged that the canvassers make an extra effort to get the donations in, and also that the public and business firms co-operate and ensure that the \$90,000 is raised.

Thursday night, which was slated to be the closing day of the campaign saw only \$56,169.61 of the required \$90,000 raised. A total of \$4,033.05 came in Thursday, divided up among the different divisions as follows: Special names, \$1,690; business, \$109.50; residential, \$1,921.90; commercial, \$192.25; public services, \$90; industrial, \$25; hotels, \$9.40; and outside, \$65. No division has raised its quota as yet.

F. E. Winslow, community chest chairman, speaking at a meeting of the executive committee, Thursday afternoon, said "there is grave danger that the agencies will not be able to function satisfactorily if the objective of \$90,000 is not attained. The budget committee compiled the lists after going over the estimates very carefully, and it is absolutely necessary that the full amount is received if these agencies are to continue."

It was explained at the meeting that one division started earlier in canvassing this year, and therefore the returns came in more quickly, giving an apparently larger sum, and the impression that the campaign was definitely more successful than in previous years. However, a thorough analysis of the position Thursday revealed the fact there is still a long way to go.

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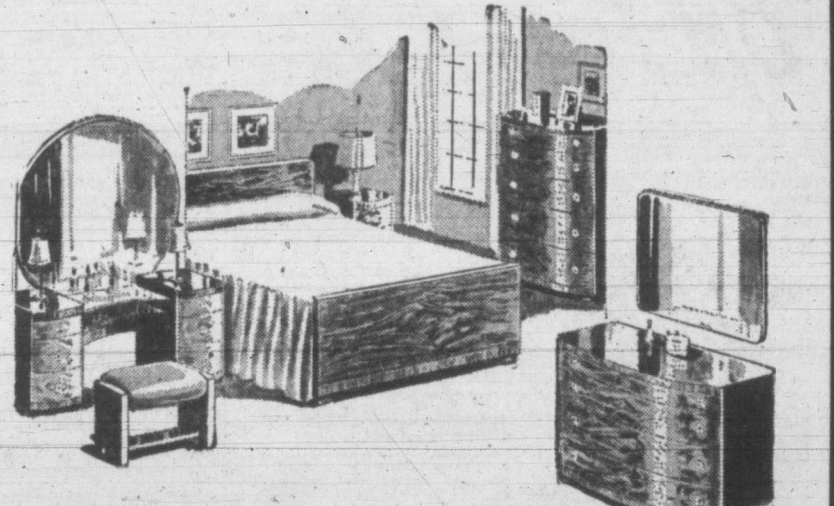
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PLAZA THEATRE

Maurice Marsac, 28-year-old invalided veteran of the French Army, and former Parisian actor, has his first American film assignment in Universal's "This is the Life," starring Donald O'Connor, Susanna Foster and Peggy Ryan, now at the Plaza Theatre.

NOTICE

In the Estate of ERIC PETERSON, late of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Retired Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above-named ERIC PETERSON, are required to file with The Royal Trust Company, to file with The Royal Trust Company, by October 30th, 1944, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to its knowledge.

DATED this 26th day of September, A.D. 1944.

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YORK THEATRE

Walt Disney's fan mail from Mr. and Mrs. Miss America is responsible for his new "The Reluctant Dragon," a combination "live action" and screen animation, featuring Robert Benchley. This full-length production, which is currently at the York Theatre, highlights the inner workings and the secrets of producing sound-and-color animation in the world famous Disney manner, so that the many who were curious about just what makes Donald Duck walk and talk, and other old and new characters could see for themselves.

ATLAS THEATRE

Finding a dull moment in one of Cecil B. DeMille's screen epics is like finding a needle in a haystack, and so it is expected that Paramount's "The Story of Dr. Wassell," in technicolor, produced by DeMille, will be equally as exciting as his previous screen triumphs. In fact, insiders say

Where To Go Tonight

ATLAS—Gary Cooper in "The Story of Dr. Wassell."
CADET—"Gung Ho!" starring Randolph Scott.
CAPITOL—Cary Grant in "Once Upon a Time."
DOMINION—"The Adventures of Tom Sawyer," starring Tommy Kelly.
OAK BAY—"The Vanishing Virginian," starring Frank Morgan.
PLAZA—"This is the Life," starring Susanna Foster and Donald O'Connor.
RIO—"Dr. Broadway," starring Macdonald Carey.
YORK—"The Reluctant Dragon," featuring Robert Benchley.

CADET THEATRE

Despite the fact that J. Carroll Naish, while portraying a Carson Raider lieutenant in Walter Wanger's "Gung Ho!" the story of the daring Makin Island raid, now playing at the Cadet Theatre, painfully injured his knee in a scene for the picture, he continued to appear in all his vigorous activities with real U.S. Marine Corps raiders, trained to outthike, outmanoeuvre and outfight all foes.

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ATLAS

that "The Story of Dr. Wassell," now at the Atlas Theatre, overshadows any action film to reach the screen thus far. There is logic behind their statements of fact, too. The reason is that the story is based upon the incidents which actually happened to Cmdr. Cory-

don M. Wassell, U.S.N., and in turn were related by him and the wounded sailors whom he rescued from Java.

White leghorns were the principal breed of chickens kept in hatchery supply flocks during 1943.

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BOOKS

Hongkong Newswoman Tells Of Jap Spies In Pacific

"Gentlemen of Japan," by Violet Sweet Haven (Ziff-Davis).

FEW WOMEN, if any, and not many men know the background of the war in the Pacific and Japan's preparations for it better than Violet Sweet Haven, author of "Gentlemen of Japan." A schoolteacher in the Philippines, she became society editor of the Japanese Times and Mail, and after Pearl Harbor was a staff member of the South China Morning Post and the Hongkong Telegraph. Combining her experiences with thorough research, Miss Haven presents an amazing story of thoroughgoing treachery, dark plotting and perfidy which reads like a mystery thriller.

Almost unbelievable is the way the Japs forced Chinese and Manchurian natives to raise bomb crop of the poppy, to supply hundreds of opium dens where potential enemies—the common men of countries they coveted—could smoke their way to oblivion. They got away with it, too, just as "fishermen" got away with taking soundings and photographs around the Aleutians and off the coast to Alaska. Both ventures served the Jap a double purpose—the opium brought in huge revenue; thousands of tons of salmon were poached by real fishermen, while spies aboard gathered their vital data.

If the reader gets the impression that almost every son of Japan in Hawaii, the Philippines,

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Hongkong, Singapore, Thailand and Java was a commissioned spy, he may be not far off the truth. Laborers emerged after Pearl Harbor as generals, admirals. False walls on mainland warehouses facing Hongkong fell open, revealing gun emplacements. In Thailand as elsewhere, propaganda worked wonders. Japs emphasized the color tie with the natives; they spent money like drunken soldiers and won over provincial governors. Even the Thai premier said, "The Japanese are great people, great people."

The author stayed in Hongkong until the Jap tide made it clear that she would have to make it snappy if she were to see Singapore, Indo-China, Thai and Java. She reached those places by plane, and added more to her story and perhaps excusable gray hairs to her head.

Miss Haven concludes an informative and exciting book with an intimate portrait of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, and the firm conviction that he'll keep his promise regarding the Philippines: "I will return!"

Time-Life Editor Records Invasion

"Invasion," by Charles Christian Wertenbaker. (D. Appleton-Century.)

CHARLES CHRISTIAN WERTENBAKER, an editor of the Time-Life-Fortune group of magazines, did his level best to encompass the magnitude of the world's greatest military undertaking, the June 6 invasion of Northern France.

In his "Invasion," Wertenbaker explains in quite some detail the men behind the plans for invasion, an unfolding of the overall strategy, the men leading the invasion, the early battles and the enlisted men who won those battles.

Best descriptions and most interesting passages deal with the confused, hand-to-hand skirmishes in the vague area called the "front lines." Wertenbaker makes the point that from up front, where the infantry is in contact with the enemy, it's pretty hard to tell just what's happening.

As battle assignments and objectives are handed out from army to division to regiment to battalion to company to platoon, the plan of battle becomes more and more piecemeal until it becomes the individual soldier to do what he is told and not worry about what the rest of the army is doing.

It is not a "now-it-can-be-told" book. It is a good eye-witness account by a good reporter who was on hand for the bloody landings, the precarious beachhead foothold and the later successes in the Countances. Avanches breakthrough that proved the undoing of the German 7th Army.

Early this morning Charles White complained to city police of thieves entering his room in the Arcade Building. Police attending found entry had been made through a window which leads to the well of the building and that the burglars had stolen a \$15 electric fan, a \$7 alarm clock, \$2.50 flashlight, seven dress shirts, and \$2 in coppers.

Every Friday

Your Garden

Amateur Gardener

By E.L.F.

CLUB ROOT NOTE

Land from which club root members of the cabbage family or turnips have been cleared, should have an immediate dressing of lime at one pound to a square yard, forked in at least four inches deep. If when forking you come across roots, remove and burn them, and if you have thrown any infected roots in the rubbish heap, burn them also.

NEW WAY WITH CHIVES

Leaves of chives are always enjoyed in spring salad. The clumps, however, increase pretty rapidly, and in an average backyard garden it is hard to spare much room for this sort of a crop. If you have a clump or two more than you need, it is a good idea to lift them, separate the bulbs, and plant these at four inches apart, just below the surface in a bit of well-worked, fairly rich earth. By doing this, you more or less convert your chives into onions. The bulbs will begin to grow in March, and in April or May you can pull up entire plants for use in place of spring onions.

AUTUMN POTATO PLANTING

October potato planting is no new thing, nor is it a freak idea. On the contrary, it has been successfully tried by seasoned gardeners in many parts of the country, with exceptionally early and heavy yields. Pick out an average piece of good garden ground, dig it a foot deep, break down the lumps fairly fine and tread moderately. Then take out widely V-shaped, eleven-inch deep drills, two feet apart. At the bottom of these spread a four-inch layer of stable manure or garden compost, and on this plant your seed potatoes at 12 inches apart. Cover them up just as you would if you were planting in spring, building the earth into sharply-pointed ridges over the tubers.

You need not have the slightest fear that frost will injure the tubers. Just as odd potatoes left in the ground when the season's crop is lifted grow vigorously the following season, so will those that you plant now. They will form roots, and possibly short sprouts, but not until next spring will any growth appear above ground. The crop will then forge ahead and you will, in all probability, lift your potatoes a month earlier than usual.

FLOWERS

Clear your summer flower beds as soon as possible now and fill them with wallflowers, polyanthes, forget-me-nots, bulbs and other spring flowering subjects.

Complete the pruning of ramblers roses. Cut out the branches that have flowered this season—entirely if they bear no young growth—to immediately above the point at which the young growth springs, if they do. Plant tulip and hyacinth bulbs now. Beneath each bulb place a quarter-inch layer of sand, to help along healthy rooting. Plant Spanish, Dutch and English Irises. Mix plenty of wood ashes with earth and, if possible, do not plant or replant on last year's site.

If your dahlias should be touched with frost some morning in the not so distant future, get at them with a spray of good cold water before the sun hits them and they will in all probability recover. These dahlia plants will have several weeks more flowering life ahead if you can prevent frost damage.

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Cecil Solly's Garden Notebook

NOTES ABOUT ONIONS

In wartime there is always a shortage of this vegetable. The supply next spring will most likely be scarce. Try planting a row of "top" or Egyptian onion sets in a spare garden row at once. Planting is exactly the same as for spring onion sets . . . about two or three inches deep, three inches apart, in rows. This will provide a crop of green "spring" onions in March and April if we get a normal winter.

Large onions that are just now being harvested must be brought indoors at once. They don't like our cold, wet fall weather. When indoors, be sure to dry them quickly with cold air. A warm room would cause them to shrivel too much.

Never cut the tops of onions until they are quite dry and break off easily. If tops are cut, the onion bulb will quickly shrivel, lose its crispness and about half its weight.

EARWIGS

Encyclopedias say that they are "chewing insects of the order Dermaptera." The earwig is a slender creature of a deep chestnut color, shiny skinned, provided with wings and wing cases, and also with forceps at its posterior end. The mouth is formed for biting. The shape of the forceps is a ready means of determining the sexes; in the male they are strongly curved and the creature uses them for defence as anyone knows who holds an earwig none too gently; in the female they are longer and fairly straight.

The wings of the earwigs are large and delicate, but fold longitudinally and laterally, so as to go under the wing cases, yet a small portion protrudes as though the cases were not long enough. With the help of a needle or camel's hair brush it is possible to unfold a dead earwig's wing, and it will be found to be one of the many marvels of adaptation to be found among any insect.

Though one of the best known insects . . . it is perhaps one of the least loved. To gardeners it is a great nuisance, as there is little doubt when young that they eat the petals of certain flowers, such as carnations, chrysanthemums, dahlias and also ripen fruits. Yet they are really omnivorous and devour small creatures as caterpillars and pupae, too.

EARWIG TEST

Should you not be convinced as to whether earwigs eat plants or other insects, you would be highly interested by making a test. Put a ripe plum in one jar, some dahlia and other flowers in another and a few leaves covered with aphids or other small insect in a third jar, each with a few earwigs. You will be entertained as well as interested in the results.

Earwigs increase by means of eggs, which the female lays in soil burrows and watches over them with much solicitude. They

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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
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ANCIENT DACIANS MADE HOMES ON AND NOW IN ROMANIA

A picture of an enemy soldier was made by an ancient Roman. The soldier was a native of Dacia, and both he and his steed were covered with armor made of small pieces of metal.

In those days there were no bullets or cannon shells to worry about, but there were arrows, darts and spears. The Dacians who wore such armor often escaped harm in battle.

Dacia was a country on the northern side of the Danube river. You will not find it on a modern map, but it covered almost the same ground as present-day Romania, including Transylvania.

The sturdy Dacians fought with the Romans 2,000 years ago. Sometimes, but not always, they were the victors.



The Dacians had a king, and his capital was on the side of a mountain. The city stood at a place about 180 miles northwest of Bucharest. It was in the heart of Transylvania, which both Romania and Hungary now claim to own.

The plain people of Dacia—the farmers and other workers—were not allowed to wear caps or hats. The men, as well as the women, let their hair grow long. Cattle were raised on some of the farms, and many persons worked in mines from which gold and silver were taken.

Only the nobles and rich men of Dacia could cover their heads.

We are told that they wore felt hats.

For more than a century there was border warfare between the Romans and Dacians. Time and again the Dacians crossed the Danube, and raided a part of the Roman empire.

Then a Roman emperor named Domitian tried to make a lasting peace. Year after year he sent presents to the Dacians, as a kind of payment to them.

A later emperor, Trajan, led an army across the Danube and invaded Dacia. Through mountain passes and forests, Trajan marched, capturing towns and forts. The Dacian capital city was destroyed, and the king took to his own life.

That ended the life of the Dacian kingdom. Thousands of Roman settlers now came into the country to live. Because of the Romans who entered that area, the country's name was changed to "Romania," also spelled "Roumania" and "Rumania." (For History section of your Scrapbook.)

B.C. Electric Asks New Water Agreement

The water board today recommended to the City Council the agreement between the B.C. Electric and the city for Goldstream Lake water for power production to be extended for one month while the company discussed plans for negotiating a new agreement with the city.

The B.C. Electric officials had asked two months extension to investigate the present agreement and open negotiations for a new one.

Applications of a farmer and the Victoria Gliding and Soaring Club for use of a city-owned field at Elk Lake were stood over.

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Robombs Hit London Southern Countries

LONDON (CP)—Just before dawn today the Germans loosed another flurry of flying bombs against London and the southern counties.

The Air Ministry announced British fighters had knocked down over the North Sea two German planes carrying robot bombs. The Nazis have been reported launching robots from planes since losing most of their flying-bomb bases along the continental coast.

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Two Canadian Bren gunners are on the alert in the rubble of a damaged building in the port of Boulogne during their fight for the city. The Germans fought bitterly to hold the port.



Some of the thousands of German troops taken prisoner at Boulogne fill a prisoner-of-war enclosure manned by Canadians. The capture of Boulogne gave the Allies their first good port on the English Channel, closest yet to the fighting lines.

Germans Told To Obey Orders Of Military Rule

ALLIED SUPREME HEAD-QUARTERS (AP)—Gen. Eisenhower, in his first proclamation to the people of Germany, said Thursday: "We come as conquerors, but not as oppressors."

Text of the proclamation:

1. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Supreme Commander Allied Expeditionary Force, do hereby proclaim as follows:

1. The Allied forces serving under my command have now entered Germany. We come as conquerors, but not as oppressors.

In the area of Germany occupied by the forces under my command we shall obliterate Nazism and German militarism. We shall overthrow the Nazi rule, dissolve the Nazi Party and abolish the cruel, oppressive and discriminatory laws and institutions which the party has created.

We shall eradicate that German militarism which has so often disrupted the peace of the world. Military and party leaders, the Gestapo and others suspected of crimes and atrocities will be tried and, if found guilty, punished as they deserve.

2. Supreme legislative, judicial and executive authority and powers within the occupied territory are vested in me as supreme commander of the Allied forces and as military governor, and the military government is established to exercise these powers under my direction.

All persons in the occupied territory will obey immediately and without question all the enactments and orders of the military government. Military government courts will be established for punishment of offenders. Resistance to the Allied forces will be ruthlessly stamped out. Other serious offences will be dealt with severely.

3. All German courts and educational institutions within the occupied territory are suspended. The Volksgerichtshof, the Sondergerichte, the S.S. police courts and other special courts are deprived of authority throughout the occupied territory. Reopening of the criminal and civil courts and educational institutions will be authorized when conditions permit.

All officials are charged with the duty of remaining at their posts until further orders, and obeying and enforcing all orders or directions of military government or the Allied authorities addressed to the German government.

The Squeeze On the Balkan Front



Allied air and seaborne landings in Albania and on the Dalmatian coast islands are designed to cut off 200,000 Nazis still in the southern Balkans through a juncture with Russian armies which have marched across Romania into Yugoslavia. Disposition of Albanian, Yugoslav and Bulgarian troops are indicated by the heavy lines.

ment or the German people, provinces and workers of all public or other persons engaged in es. This applies also to officials, em- undertakings and utilities and to sential work.



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Plan to Recomb Farms for Workers For War Industries

VANCOUVER (CP)—Strict directive measures will be applied to B.C. farm workers within a few days in an effort to obtain recruits for labor in the top priority industries in this province. William McKinstry, regional director of selective service, said here.

A plan for co-operation has been worked out between selective service, the Dominion Emergency Farm Labor Program and the provincial government.

Farm workers will be directed to fill in three major high-priority fields: Lumbering, hos-

ing, building, and dairying, the latter now being regarded by as highly essential work.

Recruits will be obtained from "certain areas" of the province, not including the Fraser Valley, said Mr. McKinstry.

King, Queen Send Sympathy Message

GUELPH, Ont. (CP)—Mrs. Mabel Graham of Guelph, a widowed mother whose two sons were killed recently overseas within one week of each other, has received a message of sympathy from King George and Queen Elizabeth. Sgt. Tommy Graham, who won the D.C.M. at Dieppe while serving with the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry, was killed in Italy, while Pte. Cecil Robert Graham was killed in action in France.

Sask. to Contribute More for Relief

REGINA (CP)—A greater share of the cost of relief as between the Saskatchewan government and municipalities, now on a 50-50 basis, will be borne by the government, but the extent of the government's increased financial responsibility has not yet been decided, Social Welfare Minister O. W. Valleau said.

The coming session of the Legislature, scheduled to open Oct. 19, will see a Social Aid Act introduced by Mr. Valleau. That act will replace the existing direct relief act and under the new act the term "relief" will be abolished and the phrase "social aid" substituted. The new act will be modeled after the direct relief act with a few minor amendments, according to the minister.

New Autos 6 Months After Ottawa Approves

MONTREAL (CP)—Officials of three automobile firms agreed here cars would be in production from three to six months after the industry had been given a government green light, but the immediate postwar car would be practically the same as the last preconversion models.

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